

# CONFIDENCE OF ALLIES UNSHAKEN

## EFFORT GERMANS ARE MAKING CANNOT BE LONG CONTINUED

### EVERY FOOT OF GROUND CAPTURED BOUGHT WITH GERMAN BLOOD

#### BULLETIN

(By Associated Press)

LONDON, March 23.—"Nothing we have heard up to the present would lead me to think that anything had happened which could not have been expected. There is no reason to come to the conclusion that things are looking bad," General Sir Horace Lockwood Smith-Dorrien says in an interview with the Weekly Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The war department cabled General Pershing tonight to forward immediately definite information of the exact situation in the battle front where the British troops are under the German onslaught. The only official word at hand was contained in the official statements issued from London and Berlin.

American army officers would hazard no opinions lacking definite and comprehensive advices. Privately, however, their confidence in eventual repulse of the German thrust remained unshaken.

American officers and those of the British and French military mission looked with confidence on the story unfolded from hour to hour as the German effort progressed. A review of the day's events as told in Associated Press dispatches, they said, gave no ground for assuming that allied resisting power would prove unequal to the task.

All reports were taken to prove the Germans had stalked lives by the hundred thousand upon a quick blow, designed to be overpowering because of the masses of men used and the absolute disregard of losses which marked its delivery.

#### Prepared to Sacrifice Thousands

There was evidence that seemed to bear out predictions that Germany was prepared to sacrifice 300,000 men in the efforts. It was with man power in great masses and not gun power that the first lines of the British defenses were penetrated. The greatest shock ever hurled at an army appeared to observers here to have been met by the British with great skill. It appeared that the British had stopped the rush where they could and had withdrawn slowly where they could not. Their orderly retirement, American officers, believe, means defeat for the Germans in the end. There has been no loss of British organizations it was pointed out and every foot of ground captured has been bought with blood.

Military experts say such an effort as the Germans are making cannot be continued long. Every foot gained means added difficulties in transportation and consequent slowing up of the forward movement. A day or two more of bitter resistance even including further British retirement it was thought would see the impetus of the German thrust lost and its power diminished. Then would come opportunities for counter blows on a major scale.

In seeking the strategic purpose of the German drive officials here noted that the British press had already suggested a possible solution. A rupture of the British lines in the vicinity of St. Quentin, it has been said might leave the French left on the Aisne front up in the air. Retirement there would bring the battle lines closer to Paris.

#### German Reports Not at All Improbable

German reports that 25,000 prisoners had been taken were regarded as not at all improbable. The capture of certain points on the first defensive system probably was what made the sector of the line abandoned by the British untenable and started the withdrawal. Presumably the 16,000 men said by the Germans to have fallen into their hands yesterday, are included in their new figure of 25,000 prisoners. The first captures undoubtedly were made when the front lines were breached. The remainder probably is composed of rear guard units left in position to hold off the enemy until the British withdrawal under fire had been accomplished, then to surrender. The Germans lost fifty thousand or more prisoners to the French and British in the withdrawal on the Somme alone and a great number also were taken in the retirement from the Marne during the first year of the war. Officials were hopeful that tomorrow's reports would show clearly the German objective and steps to offset it. They are beginning to look for counter-blows by the allies on other sectors. Now that the Germans are so deeply involved in their enterprise in the St. Quentin region it is thought they could not spare large reserves to face attack elsewhere without checking their own advance.

### MUNDAY FOUND GUILTY OF WRECKING CHICAGO BANK

Penalty is Imprisonment for One to Three Years and a Fine of \$550—Lorimer, Who Was Also Tried Acquitted.

Chicago, March 23.—Charles B. Munday, on trial at Morris, Ill., for complicity in the wrecking of the La Salle Street Trust and Savings bank was found guilty by a jury which reported today. Former U. S. Senator William Lorimer was president of the bank. It was Munday's second trial, also having been found guilty at the first.

The penalty is imprisonment for one to three years and a fine of double the last deposit received, which in this case would be \$550. Lorimer, who was tried in connection with the failure, was acquitted.

The specific charge was that he received a deposit of \$275 from David H. Hoopes on June 11, 1914 after he knew the bank of which he was vice-president, to be insolvent. Motion for a new trial was made and Judge Slusser fixed April 29 to hear arguments. Munday will remain at liberty under his old bonds. He received the verdict with a show of courage but looked ill.

The jury was out 17 hours. There was halting before they retired last night. It was resumed after breakfast today. Hearing of evidence occupied two weeks.

#### PLEA TO WOMEN.

Springfield, Ill., March 23.—Illinois women were asked in a letter received here today from Mrs. Eleanor Wilson McAdoo, chairman of the National Woman's committee for the third liberty loan campaign, to rally to the standard for a record breaking subscription in this state, beginning April 6.

## War News Summary

(By Associated Press)

Assaulting in the British lines on the south, the Germans have forced their way forward over a front approximately twenty-one miles in length, have penetrated to a depth of four or five miles west of Cambrai, and have reached Ham, west of St. Quentin, a distance of about nine miles west of the British lines as they stood before the inception of the Teutonic offensive on Thursday.

The German claim that the forces of the central empires are fighting on a line northwest of Bapaume, Peronne and Ham has not been substantiated by British official despatches but the British reports show that there has been a retirement at various points, especially at St. Quentin, where Field Marshal Haig says his forces have taken up their new positions and are heavily engaged with the enemy.

According to a Berlin official dispatch, "a considerable part of the British army has been beaten" but this is not borne out by any facts so far known.

That 25,000 men have been possibly captured by the Teutons may be considered as a natural result of the slow British withdrawal on various parts of the line. This number, however, is very small in comparison to the forces Haig has thrown into the fray.

The frightful combat continued all day Saturday.

#### Source Unknown.

The great German offensive on the western front has developed as its salient feature an apparent desperate effort to break into the southwest of St. Quentin, drive a wedge between the British and the French and push on across the Somme canal in the general direction of Compiègne and Paris. Simultaneously Paris has been bombarded at quarter hour intervals, beginning Saturday forenoon with shells of about nine inch calibre. The source of the bombardment has not been revealed. The nearest point on the front is 62 miles distant, more than twice as far as artillery has ever reached previously. One theory suggested is that the Germans have developed an aerial torpedo which can be fired from a long distance.

#### Admitted Break in Line.

There was an admitted break in the British line in the St. Quentin region late yesterday the Germans forcing their way thru the defensive system and compelling a British retreat to prepared positions within the area devastated by the Germans in their retreat in the spring of 1917. This new line also is now being attacked by the Germans, and news dispatches filed from the front late in the day indicated that the fighting already was heavy in the vicinity of Ham which represents a penetration of some nine miles for the Germans. Ham is approximately eleven miles southwest of St. Quentin.

#### Put Cavalry in Field.

A supreme effort by the Germans to cut the line in this region is forecast in the dispatches. They have put cavalry in the field to follow the infantry and evidently intend to throw the Germans into the fray when the infantry columns open the breach. The German high command is counting upon.

#### Holding New Positions.

Further north the British lines while they have drawn back are holding well in their new positions. The maximum British retrogression there seems to have been about four miles, at Mory, which has changed hands several times.

## TODAY'S CASUALTIES

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Only twenty eight names, five of them officers, were included in today's casualty list. Lieutenant Jefferson Feigl was killed in action. Lieutenant Eugene R. Wheatley died from other cause and Captain Arthur S. Gow and Lieutenant Arthur Booth were among the slightly wounded.

Today's list was divided as follows: Killed in action, 1; Died from accident, 3; Died of disease, 8; Died of other causes, 2; Wounded severely, 2; Wounded slightly, 12.

#### KILLED IN ACTION.

Lieutenant Jefferson Feigl. DIED OF ACCIDENT.

Lieutenant Eugene R. Wheatley. Bugler James D. Gallagher. Private Herbert Tucker.

#### DIED OF DISEASE.

Corporal Reynold A. Braeder, peritonitis.

Privates Charles Barrow, pneumonia; Jacob Orton, Eugene Reim, pneumonia; Alfred McLeod, pneumonia; William Eugene Parker, appendicitis; George H. Wilkins, pneumonia; Edward Wirth, septicaemia.

#### DIED FROM OTHER CAUSES.

Lieut. Col. William S. Wells. Sergeant Charles J. Hilburg.

#### WOUNDED SEVERELY.

Bugler Charles E. Dubois. Private Arthur Knochenhauer.

#### WOUNDED SLIGHTLY.

Captain Arthur S. Gow.

Lieut. Arthur Booth. Second Lieut. James J. Buchanan and William Rodgers. Corporals John M. Hunt and Earl R. Stouffer.

Privates Charles F. Bowers, Peter F. Fabian, Bernhard Golz, Ray C. Herring, Ewart G. Nelson, John Walczyk.

#### ITALIAN MINISTER OF WAR WILL GO TO FRONT.

Rome, Friday, March 22.—General Alfieri has retired as minister of war to take a command at the front. He has been succeeded by Gen. Zupelli. King Victor Emmanuel accepted Gen. Alfieri's resignation owing to his insistence that he be permitted to go to the front.

General Alfieri came into office with the Orlando cabinet last fall. As a member of the Italian war committee he represented the army in the supreme war council at Versailles.

#### CHARGED WITH VIOLATING ESPIONAGE ACT.

Kansas City, March 23.—Mrs. Rose Pastor Stokes of New York was arrested this morning at Willow Springs, Mo., by federal officers on a charge of violating the espionage act. It was announced here by Francis M. Wilson, U. S. district attorney for Missouri. Mrs. Stokes will be brought here tomorrow morning.

#### BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

Washington, March 23.—Creation of railway board of adjustment No. 1 to pass on disputes over interpretations of employment of the four leading brotherhoods, was announced tonight by Director-General M.

## Official War Bulletins

### France

PARIS, March 23.—Artillery engagements which at times have been violent along various sectors of the front are reported in the statement from the war office tonight. The statement reads:

"Artillery actions, occasionally of great violence have occurred south of the Oise, in the region of Rheims, in Lorraine, between Harracourt and the Vosges mountains and in the heights of Alsace.

"An enemy attack against the Ritzsch wood was a complete failure. In the period from March 11 to March 20, twenty-six German airplanes and one captive balloon were shot down by our aviators. Nineteen enemy machines were seriously hit and brought down within the enemy lines. On March 22 five German airplanes were shot down or gravely damaged by our aerial units.

"On the night of March 22-23 our raiding squadrons dropped sixteen thousand kilograms (3,500 pounds) of projectiles upon establishments, cantonments and railroad terminals in the enemy zone. It was ascertained that the damage done was very great."

### British Headquarters

British Army Headquarters in France, March 23.—By The Associated Press.—The Germans this afternoon were pressing their attack hard on the right flank of the British near Ham, while on the northern end of the battle line desperate fighting has been going on since yesterday about Mory which has changed hands several times. It is reported that some of the enemy infantry pushed down across the Somme Canal and drove forward against prepared positions to which the British had retired. The Germans advanced for this new attack from Croisilles and for hours were held off by a company of British machine gunners who were stationed on high ground and swept the enemy ranks with a grilling fire. The British organized a counter-attack as soon as the Germans entered the village and pushed the enemy back.

Bitter fighting continued through the night and is not less bitter today with fluctuating fortunes.

### French

PARIS, March 23.—Many positions and localities back of the French lines were bombarded by German aircraft tonight, according to an official statement issued tonight. The statement reads:

"Enemy aircraft crossed our lines at 7:40 o'clock tonight. They bombarded several localities behind the front without causing important damage but did not succeed in reaching the region of Paris.

"An alarm was given in Paris at 8:40 o'clock and the 'all clear' signal was sounded at 10:10 o'clock."

### Aerial Operations

LONDON, March 23.—An official statement of the aerial operations issued tonight says:

"A thick morning mist on Friday prevented our airplanes from leaving the ground during the early part of the day. When the mist cleared there was much activity in the air on one battle front. The enemy's low-flying machines were particularly accurate, engaging our forward groups with machine guns. The enemy's massed troops again offered good targets for our low flying airplanes. The location and range of bodies of hostile troops and transport were reported to our artillery and successfully engaged.

"Eight and a half tons of bombs were dropped on hostile railway stations in the rear of the battle front and also on the enemy's billets, high velocity guns, troops and transport. The fighting in the air was very heavy almost all the combats taking place between Arras and St. Quentin. Twenty-seven enemy machines were brought down and twenty were driven down out of control. Two hostile machines were shot in our lines by anti-aircraft guns and another by the infantry. Eight of our machines are missing.

"During the night our squadrons dropped over fourteen tons of bombs on hostile billets, ammunition camps and areas in which the enemies attacking troops were concentrated. All our machines returned safely."

### German

BERLIN, March 23.—via London.—The official statement from general headquarters this evening says:

"The first stage of the great battle in France is ended. We have won the engagements near Monchy, Cambrai, St. Quentin and LaFere. A considerable part of the English army is beaten.

"We are fighting approximately on a line northeast of Bapaume, Peronne and Ham."

### Holland

WASHINGTON, March 23.—An official dispatch today from Amsterdam identifies two priests executed in Belgium by the Germans as Father Mors and Frater Denis de Schepper. They were convicted, it says, of aiding in passing two youths over the border of Holland. These two men were directors of St. Luke's school in Belgium.

## FIRST DAYLIGHT AIR RAID ON CITY OF PARIS

### Metropolis is Also Bombarded By Great Mystery Gun

#### BULLETIN

(By Associated Press)

PARIS, March 23.—According to the latest reports the long distance cannon which bombarded Paris this afternoon was firing from a distance of 120 kilometers (approximately 74½ miles) and was located about twelve kilometers behind the French front.

The Paris bulletin reporting the location of the long range cannon while fixing the position about 12 kilometers behind the French front obvious-

ly means beyond the French front from Paris, that is within the German lines.

PARIS, March 23.—The first daylight air raid on Paris came today which was one of perfect sunshine. The people refused to immerse themselves in cellars and other subterranean stations were crowded. The streets always had a great number of people in them watching for an aerial battle or some other stirring incident.

As the day passed and the "all clear" signal was not given, the feeling grew that something new in the way of a raid was expected and this was not explained until an official statement was issued, saying the delay was due to bombardment by long distance cannon. The "all clear" was then sounded and normal life resumed.

Pieces of shells were found to bear rifle marks which proved they had not been dropped but had been fired from a gun. This apparently left a greater mystery than ever as to where the gun was located and the nature of it.

The official announcement that Paris is being bombarded must remain unexplained until further details have been received. The statement in the despatch that the shortest distance from Paris to the front is over 100 kilometers indicates that there has been no breach in the

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## U.S. ORDNANCE OFFICERS ARE DUMFOUNDED

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The long range bombardment of Paris by a German gun presumably sixty-two miles off announced as a fact today in the French capital dumfounded American ordnance officers. The twenty-two mile bombardment of Dunkirk by the Germans more than a year ago had set a record and ordnance officers of the American, British and French corps freely conceded they never had dreamed of a monster gun with a range of more than thirty miles.

Some officers frankly questioned that shells from rifled cannon actually had fallen in Paris. Others sought explanation in new devices or secret gun emplacements in the vicinity of Paris. None wanted to believe that any gun had been invented by the Germans or anyone else which could throw a 9½ inch projectile sixty miles.

If German experts have evolved a wholly new type of gun not dependent on the mathematical factors that govern ordnance everywhere of officers here think it highly unlikely they would employ it for an isolated and meaningless attack.

It might be, some officers thought that a continuous dropping of medium calibre shells on the city was part of a hope for breaking the spirit of France by some mysterious visitation.

The finding of shell fragments bearing the marks of gun rifling seemed to preclude the idea of any ordinary airplane bomb. It was suggested that monster airplanes mounting guns might have been used, but no one has ever conceived the possibility of carrying a 9½ inch weapon in the air. A short range, light weight, inverted howitzer carried by aircraft appeared to some as a possible explanation.

Some officers conceived the possibility that in the outskirts of Paris there might be a hidden gun. It was admitted that it would have no military value and could only be a weapon of terror and its discovery would be certain.

A bombardment of Paris at a distance of 62 miles appeared to most of the ordnance officers as such a complete surprise they found it difficult to talk about it.

## PLEA OF COUNSEL FOR I. W. W. DENIED BY LANDIS

CHICAGO, March 23.—The plea of counsel for the I. W. W. for the return of papers seized by federal agents in the nation wide action against members of that organization under the espionage act was denied by Judge Landis in the United States district court today.

At the same time Judge Landis ordered the trial of the 166 members of the I. W. W. under indictment for alleged conspiracy against the government set for Monday April 1st.

The action of Judge Landis came as a result of a request from George F. Vanderveer, attorney for the I. W. W. who said in regard to the trial "that the sooner it is started, the better."

Before setting the time for the trial the court overruled a motion to quash the indictment against the 166 I. W. W.'s.

The I. W. W. papers which were impounded by the court will be placed under guard subject to the inspection of District Attorney Clyne.

## WEATHER PREDICTIONS FOR COMING WEEK

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The weather predictions for the week beginning Monday issued by the weather bureau today are: "For all districts: No decided weather changes indicated during the week. Occasional rains probably north Pacific states but none of consequence elsewhere. Temperatures will average somewhat lower and more nearly seasonal than during the preceding week."

## WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES

Illinois:—Generally fair Sunday; Monday fair; somewhat warmer south and central.

Temp.

The current temperature today: Jacksonville, 45; Chicago, 40; St. Louis, 35; New York, 30; Boston, 25; Buffalo, 20; Cincinnati, 15; Detroit, 10; Philadelphia, 5; Washington, 0; San Francisco, -5; Portland, -10; Seattle, -15; Denver, -20; Salt Lake City, -25; Minneapolis, -30; St. Paul, -35; Chicago, -40; Detroit, -45; New York, -50; Boston, -55; Buffalo, -60; Cincinnati, -65; Philadelphia, -70; Washington, -75; San Francisco, -80; Portland, -85; Seattle, -90; Denver, -95; Salt Lake City, -100; Minneapolis, -105; St. Paul, -110; Chicago, -115; Detroit, -120; New York, -125; Boston, -130; Buffalo, -135; Cincinnati, -140; Philadelphia, -145; Washington, -150; San Francisco, -155; Portland, -160; Seattle, -165; Denver, -170; Salt Lake City, -175; Minneapolis, -180; St. Paul, -185; Chicago, -190; Detroit, -195; New York, -200; Boston, -205; Buffalo, -210; Cincinnati, -215; Philadelphia, -220; Washington, -225; San Francisco, -230; Portland, -235; Seattle, -240; Denver, -245; Salt Lake City, -250; 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U-boat victims were not so many in the past week—but yet too many.

The greater the German drive, the greater should be our Liberty Loan drive at home.

Ex-King Constantine's salary has been cut to \$100,000 per year. He will probably think that he cannot exist on that paltry sum.

Congress intends starting an investigation of the charge that many young men have been permitted to join the army to secure "bullet proof" jobs. That favoritism has been shown is asserted.

The high cost of materials is given by the state board of utilities for refusing all extension im-

provements on railroad properties in Illinois. In this they are acting in accordance with the war time policy of the government. The "business as usual" theory has received many rude jolts in the past year.

While we claim to have the Germans out classed in resources they seem to have accumulated a vast number of big shells that are now being used. They probably are more exacting in getting something for their money than we are.

## SECURE FARM WORKERS.

There has been a great deal of talk about enlisting boys and men for service on the farms where such service is especially needed in order to guarantee more than the usual planted acreage or the gathering of crops at harvest time. There have been various suggestions for securing the necessary workers but the most practical and efficient way is proposed in South Dakota, where both houses of the legislature have passed a law giving to county councils of defense full authority to draft men for farm work. Since the production of food is such an integral part of the war program this seems to be wholly a sane proceeding and merely providing for the induction of men into another branch of the army service.

## LOCAL UTILITY RATES.

In an article appearing in this issue on the subject of the commission form of government W. N. Hairgrove makes reference to the settlement of the rate cases brought before the state utilities commission by citizens of Jacksonville. In his statement that concessions were detrimental to the interests of the people he has evidently overlooked the fact that the agreement was practically made at the suggestion of the utilities commission and had the approval of the commission. It was the statement of commission members that they could not officially recommend settlement of the case on the compromise terms but they indicated that in view of all the circumstances and because of the possibility of expensive litigation extending thru a period of years, that settlement was the preferable course. In the reading of Mr. Hairgrove's articles it is also to be remembered that as the author of these articles he is having a one-sided debate.

## WOMEN AS RURAL MAIL CARRIERS.

In these days when so many new avenues of work are constantly opened to women it is not at all surprising that the government has announced that after April 27 women will be eligible to serve as rural mail carriers. This is an occupation which women can be expected to fill satisfactorily and without personal hardship except where weather and road conditions are unfavorable.

Perhaps the coming of women rural carriers will hasten the day of better roads in some communities where too little thought is given to this road question. A few months ago it was strange to note young women serving as elevator operators, in carrying messages and holding various clerkships where only men had previously been seen. A short

time has served to bring changes rapidly in the field of women's employment and now people are not surprised, no matter in what lines of work they find women busy—and the women are usually performing the duties satisfactorily.

## ALLIED VICTORY CERTAIN IN END.

Reports from the battle front in Europe Saturday were indeed disquieting. But most people were able to take the cheerful view and find comfort in the thought held by military men that even should the Germans be able to break thru the lines at this time, that the advance thus made would be without material benefit and at a terrific cost of life. After all, those who are disturbed by present reports can at least subscribe to the faith of Major Gen. March, who when recently asked for an opinion declared, "I am absolutely sure that we will defeat Germany eventually."

## BUILD THE HIGH SCHOOL SOON.

Club announcements indicate that Supt. of Schools, H. A. Perrin will lead the discussion at the meeting of the Literary Union Monday night with "High School Possibilities" as his theme. It is not a matter of common knowledge whether or not Mr. Perrin advocates a community high school or whether he will deal with possible developments along vocational lines. One thing is certain, the immediate future is the time to settle the high school building question. Whether it be merely a Jacksonville high or a community school, the earlier the plans can be determined upon and building operations actually commenced, the sooner will it be possible to properly house the high school girls and boys.

## WHY WORRY ABOUT BUSINESS.

The Oregon Short Line has followed the suggestion of Director General McAdoo and has abolished the offices of all traveling passenger and freight agents. These men will be employed in other capacities and fill the vacancies of men who have gone to the war or engaged in other work. There should be little difficulty about the railroads following Mr. McAdoo's suggestion, when it is remembered that railroad profits are guaranteed under government management and that this management will continue for a considerable period beyond the duration of the war. Why spend money soliciting freight or passenger business when profits are already assured?

## THE WORK OF THE SUBMARINES.

(St. Louis Globe-Democrat.) No harm will be done to Great Britain or to the cause of the allies by Sir Campbell Geddes' frank statement of submarine losses made to the house of commons, Wednesday. The total, it is true, is appalling. A loss of tonnage amounting to over 6,000,000 tons in the past twelve months is eloquent testimony to the destructive powers of Germany. The immensity of this loss can be better understood by comparing it with the total tonnage of the United States, including ocean coast and lake service, at the beginning of the war which was 8,600,000 tons. The total tonnage of Great Britain in 1914 was approximately 22,000,000 tons, and this was by far the largest tonnage held by any nation in the world about half, indeed, of the whole world's tonnage. The losses since the beginning of the war according to the admiralty, aggregate 11,827,572 tons, more than one fourth as much as the world, outside of Germany and Austria, possessed in 1914.

But there is a large measure of compensation and encouragement in the other side of the tabulation. While Germany has been destroying nearly 12,000,000 tons of shipping, the yards of the world have been busily constructing new ships, the total of new tonnage since the war began amounting to over 9,000,000 tons, the net loss, therefore, being but 2,827,572 tons. In 1914, the admiralty reports the world's tonnage, exclusive of the ships of the central powers, was approximately 42,000,000. It is now, by this calculation, somewhat over 39,000,000 tons. This last year of intensive submarine activity, has, it must be conceded, effected more destruction than the two preceding years, but the last quarter of the year showed a decided decline in the losses, while the new construction is being rapidly increased, the British output for the last quarter being double that for the last quarter of 1916. The American additions will soon become an important factor in the total, but we need to bend all our energies to this colossal task for ships, and still more ships is yet the most important work we have in hand. Sir Eric Geddes' figures, far from discouraging Germany's enemies, should and will inspire us to faster and harder work. Germany is accomplishing appalling destructions but it will gain nothing by it.

## Rippling Rhymes By WALT MASON

### THE MISCHIEF MAKER.

A tack is but a harmless thing that should no grief or madness bring. No man should weep to see a tack, or have conniptions in his back. I bought a box of tacks one time the package cost me half a dollar. I strewed the tacks along the road that runs in front of my abode; and motorists who came along made speeches gripping, fierce and strong. I heard them; as they changed their tires, while I sat greasing up my wheels. If they but knew who did the trick they said, they'd gladly hang the hick. For days and days they stopped their boats and sent big cuss-words from their throats. A nickel's worth of tacks will queer a lot of joy, on this old sphere. A nickel's worth of heated air will cause much

trouble and despair. I know a bilious man who talks pale treason in his daily walks. He says the war's a big mistake, and we were guilty of a break when we broke in and took a hand, and dared the Teuton Fatherland. His words have punctured tires and tubes for many patriotic rubes, who were with loyalty red hot before they struck his Tommy-rot. Some day, tired out by traitors' dope, we'll buy a nickel's worth of rope, and seek the mischief maker's lair, and make him eat the hemp right there.

## THIS DATE IN HISTORY

March 23, 1861—Dr. William Jayne of Springfield, Illinois, was appointed by President Lincoln Territorial Governor of Dakota.

## A LOAD OF MAXWELLS

W. H. Naylor yesterday received a shipment of Maxwell cars and now has touring cars and a truck ready for delivery. This week Mr. Naylor will drive from Springfield several Maxwell trucks, famous for service and reasonable cost price.

## DOMESTIC SCIENCE ROUND TABLE MET

Miss Mabel Wilkerson of University of Illinois Made Interesting Address.

Mrs. M. R. Fitch was hostess to members of the Domestic Science Round Table Saturday afternoon, a goodly number being in attendance notwithstanding the inclement weather. The principal feature on the program was a talk on "Household Art and Decorations" by Miss Mabel Wilkerson of the University of Illinois. The speaker emphasized the desirability of correct decorations in the home and said that it is important to give especial attention to design and color. She pointed out that it is not always the most expensive decorations which are the most effective. The discussion was one of much interest and practical value to all present.

At the conclusion of Miss Wilkerson's address came a piano duet by Misses Hazel Claus and Mabel Henderson, excellently rendered. Mrs. Hackett Wylder sang a solo in her usual pleasing manner, with accompaniment by Mrs. J. Edgar Martin. In a general discussion of favorite recipes many helpful suggestions were given and each one present contributed a tried recipe.

Following the program came a social hour with refreshments. Mrs. Fitch was assisted by the following: Mrs. Hattie Doying, Mrs. E. G. Caldwell, Mrs. G. R. Bradley, Mrs. George Fuhr, Mrs. A. H. Dollard, Mrs. Fred Bolton, Miss Anna Kithier, Mrs. C. L. Mathis, Mrs. George Hocking, Mrs. C. C. Hembrough, Mrs. Eb Spink, Miss Emma Cornington, Mrs. George Peck, Mrs. E. D. Pyatt, Misses Clara Ranson, Kate Paradise and Sarah Bowen.

## HOWARD HENRY OF WOODSON WILL RIDE IN THE 46TH BUICK

Howard Henry of Woodson has made himself and family happy by the purchase of a Buick 6 of Howard Zahn, local distributor. Mr. Henry looked over the field carefully and decided the Buick was the car he wanted.

## NEW SUPERINTENDENT FOR PASSAVANT

Miss Kimmel of Chicago to Take Place Made Vacant by Resignation of Miss Ida Verner.

At a meeting of the board of trustees of Passavant hospital last night Miss Evelyn M. Kimmel of Chicago was tendered the position as superintendent of the hospital to take the place of Miss Ida B. Verner, who resigned several weeks ago because of ill health.

Miss Kimmel spent Saturday in Jacksonville at the hospital and it is understood that she will take the offered position. She will come to Jacksonville with an excellent record in hospital work made during the past ten years. She graduated from the St. Luke's hospital in Chicago and was subsequently in hospital work in that city, in Brooklyn and in a smaller city, several years of her service being as superintendent. Miss Verner, who is now in Michigan on account of the serious illness of her sister, is expected to return to Jacksonville within a few days. She will probably sever her connection with the hospital in April and will then go to her home near Toronto, Canada, for an extended rest.

## REGISTRATION FIGURES

Additional registration figures for the women of Morgan county were made known last night by Mrs. W. P. Duncan, county chairman. The record for the precinct outside of Jacksonville showed the splendid total of 3,261 whereas the poll list record is 2,832. Some figures are still to come in from one remote district in the county and it is very sure that in these county precincts a 100 per cent record will be made.

In Jacksonville some work still remains to be done as the total registration list shows 3,774 names. About 250 names additional must be registered before the 12 Jacksonville precincts equal the record of the other precincts. Work still to be done includes the registration of some young women between the ages of 16 and 21. Thirty registrations were made Saturday.

## ATTENTION W. R. C.

The Relief Corps is invited by the G. A. R. to attend a meeting in the court house Monday evening at 7:30. A large attendance is desired as this is a meeting of importance.

Anna Ferguson, President.  
Angie P. Weber, Secretary.

Alonzo Ellis, cashier of the First National bank of White Hall and a well known Greene county resident, is spending Sunday with his brother, J. T. Ellis.

## MEN TRANSFERRED FROM CAMP TAYLOR

Soldiers Most Recently Sent There Transferred to Eastern Cantonment.

Camp Zachary Taylor, Louisville Ky., March 23.—Five hundred of the last draft men to arrive at this camp, were here hardly long enough to get acquainted when they were ordered to another camp. Two hundred of the veterans of the 159th depot brigade, making a total of 700 were transferred. Several hundred more men are to be selected to be sent to an engineering regiment at an eastern camp.

Many of these men had just received their third inoculation and are not familiar with military life. The sudden transfer was looked upon with envy by many of their fellow soldiers who have been in camp here since last September and have not been sent away.

Four members of a class of soldiers going through the gas chamber were "gassed." That is they suffered the effects of the chlorine gas plainly and were relieved from further duty. It is the custom in sending the men into the chamber to first have them adjust their masks and put them on as they enter the gas filled chamber. A second or two before they start out they are instructed to remove their masks so that each will have an idea what the gas smells like. The four who received more than their share of the gas got too curious and removed their masks ahead of time. As the result one young soldier had to be assisted from the chamber.

All were revived after they reached the open air, and no serious results are expected. This phase of the training at the camp is still one of the most interesting. Dugouts thirty feet under the ground have been constructed and the gas trenches are now completed. Engineering officers are planning a smoke gas cloud for the benefit of General Hale next week. Gas shells, electric bombs and grenades will be used.

The gas trenches are located so that the wind will be one of the things that will have to be taken into consideration to make the raid a success.

## CHICKEN PIE SUPPER CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Tuesday evening, March 26th. Tickets must be secured by 9 a. m. Tuesday. On sale Mathis, Kamm & Shibe and Douglas Stores.

## Social Events

### Miss Cora Cherry Hostess To Belles Lettres Society.

Miss Cora Cherry was hostess to the member of the Belles Lettres society of Illinois Woman's college at her home, 202 South Church street Saturday evening. The beautiful Cherry home was tastefully decorated with yellow spring flowers, representing the colors of the society. About thirty five were present and a program was given by the new members of the society. The occasion proved one of great pleasure and was one of the events of the college season.

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"Down the River"—A story of adventure on the Mississippi, slave-stealers, and the rugged courage that built the nation.

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## CITY AND COUNTY

John Moss of the vicinity of Concord traveled to the city yesterday. James Mahon of Sinclair precinct was a city caller yesterday. John Casey of Buckhorn was in the city yesterday. Howard Whitlock of Clemens station was in the city yesterday. Mrs. A. J. Dyer of Murrayville was a city shopper yesterday. Henry Smith of Sinclair was a caller on city friends yesterday. Mrs. R. H. Hall of Waverly paid the city a visit yesterday. Mrs. G. W. Smith of Pearl was an arrival in the city yesterday.

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Mrs. J. J. Nunes was up to the city from Manchester yesterday. Mrs. Fred Peak of Winchester was a city shopper yesterday. A. W. Peterson of Litterberry was a city caller yesterday. U. C. Mann was a city caller from Concord yesterday. Samuel Bottom of Pisgah made a trip to town yesterday. Edward Rea was a city caller from Murrayville yesterday. Benjamin Becker returned to his home in Wichita, Kansas, Saturday. Fred Roberts helped represent Franklin in the city yesterday. J. N. Peters and wife were city callers from Merritt yesterday. Kenneth Wood was a city caller from Franklin yesterday. A. J. Moore of Springfield was a traveler to the city yesterday. Harold Hamm and wife of Alton were city callers yesterday. Miss Rena Ator of Litterberry was a city shopper yesterday. Donna D. Baird of Jefferson Barracks is home for a few days. James Sheehan was a city caller from Mt. Sterling yesterday. Robert Harris helped represent Waverly in the city yesterday. Carl J. Cooper made a trip from Litterberry to the city yesterday. George Coker was a city caller from Pisgah yesterday. John Phillips near Clark's, Chapel was a city visitor yesterday. N. C. Wilson of Sinclair called on city merchants yesterday. George Nortrup was a city visitor from Chapin yesterday. Thomas McGrath of Woodson was a caller in town yesterday. Mrs. G. S. Smith of Pearl was a traveler to the city yesterday. James Fink and William Watson were city callers from Chapin yesterday. Mrs. Lou McCarty has gone to Palmyra, Missouri, to visit her daughter. J. L. Snyder and Frank McCurley of Woodson precinct motored to the city yesterday. Miss Rose Walsh of Murrayville was one of the city shoppers yesterday. Miss Loretta Bergschneider of Franklin enjoyed a visit with city friends yesterday. Misses Florence Lambert and

Florence Collins were city arrivals from Alexander yesterday. Carl Martin and family journeyed from Joy Prairie to the city yesterday. Miss Catherine McGrath and Mrs. Sam Ruble were city representatives of Alexander yesterday. Mrs. Lawrence Hubby of Island Grove was a city caller on friends yesterday. George Swain and Henry Lamkuehler were callers from Sinclair in the city yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hart and daughter were down to the city from near Sinclair yesterday. John Virgin rode from Woodson to the city in his Buick car yesterday. Thurlow Pratt made a trip from Chapin to the city in his Buick car yesterday. Milford Rees of Franklin precinct drove to town in his Buick car yesterday. Henry Richardson of the Point neighborhood traveled to town in his Buick coupe yesterday. Louis Baptist of Woodson made a trip to town in his Buick car yesterday. George Koynne of Murrayville made a business trip to the city yesterday. Prince Coates and family rode up to the city from Riggston in their Ross 8 car yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. John Becker of the east part of the county called on city people yesterday. H. C. Challiner and Walter Bedingfield were city arrivals from the region of Joy Prairie yesterday. William Wilding was down to the city from Strawn's Crossing yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Myers helped represent Sinclair in the city yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Patterson of the vicinity of Shiloh were city shoppers yesterday. Henry Myers of the northwest part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday. Benjamin Worrell and daughter, Zula were up to the city from Murrayville yesterday. B. F. Allen and daughter Dorothy were down to the city from Strawn's Crossing yesterday. Miss Mary Sullivan, teacher at Litterberry, is spending Sunday with home friends. Miss Thyra Ruth of Chicago is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Smith on Finley avenue. Frank Hunter of Sinclair precinct rode to town in his Ross 8 car yesterday. L. A. Cain drove a Maxwell car from Detroit to the city arriving yesterday. Henry Strawn of Alexander arrived in the city in his Jeffery car yesterday. G. A. Luther of the west part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday. Jerry Ryan of the southeast part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday. Albert and Charles Hayes were city arrivals from Murrayville yesterday. Jacob Wintler made a business trip from Roodhouse to the city yesterday. Mrs. A. J. Campbell and two sons journeyed from Merritt to the city yesterday. Glover Williams of Chapin was numbered among the city arrivals yesterday. Charles Woodall of Manchester was among the business arrivals in the city yesterday. Cecil and Henry McGhee were down to the city from Shiloh yesterday. C. L. Reed of the northwest part of the county was a city caller yesterday. James Ranson of Lynnville neighborhood traveled to the city yesterday. Edward Patterson of Rural route No. 7 was a business visitor in town yesterday. Irvin Patterson of the northeast part of the county was in the city yesterday. George Dorwart of Roodhouse made a business trip to the city yesterday. Mrs. Albertine Engelbach of Arenzville was a shopper with city merchants yesterday. John Leach of the vicinity of the Mound was a city visitor yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bender and son rode to town from Alexander in their Buick car yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. George Wackerle and son rode from Alexander to the city yesterday. John Longly and William Alexander were city arrivals from Ashland yesterday. Mrs. J. G. Clemens of Virden was a shopper with city merchants yesterday. W. N. Ferreira of the north part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday. Rev. J. Latham, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Woodson was a city caller yesterday. Thomas Walsh of Buckhorn was a visitor with city friends yesterday. W. M. Filson of Concord was among the business men of the city yesterday. H. H. Hansmeier of Joy Prairie drove his Buick car to the city yesterday. Edward A. and Richard Stanley of the vicinity of Joy Prairie were city callers yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Crouch of Finley street have returned home from Eureka Springs, Ark. They have been spending a number of months past at that popular southern resort. Elmer Smith of the vicinity of Grace Chapel was in the city yesterday. He reports his son who has been ill for some weeks with pneumonia improving in a gratifying manner. After a visit of several weeks at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Becker on South Main street and other relatives. Alanson Thomason, Mr. and Mrs. John Boddy and William Sargent were city callers from Markham yesterday. Robert and William Megginson,

Robert Rook and Robert Smith were city callers from Woodson yesterday. Byron Woods, Miss Blanche Harney, Mrs. W. C. Teany and daughter Lora, Mrs. A. J. Rawlings and son were up to the city from Franklin yesterday. Mrs. W. L. Jones of Detroit, who is visiting at the home of G. W. Jones, 416 West Court street, went to Woodson yesterday to visit her mother, Mrs. Glasgow. John C. Spink, wife and two children of Petersburg and L. J. Ward of Springfield have arrived in the city to enjoy today with Paul Spink who will go back to Camp Logan tomorrow. The young man spent yesterday with old time friends in Chandlerville.

# **WONDERFUL ASSORTMENT OF EASTER MILLINERY NOW ON SALE AT HERMAN'S.**

## **EXEMPTION BOARD NEWS.**

Physical examination of registered men in class 1 will be held at the court house Friday, March 29, at which time the following men are called to appear before the board: William J. Lawson, Jacksonville. John C. Evans, Springfield, Ill. Thomas R. Collins, South Bend, Ind. Fred Gaddis, Meredosia. John L. Doolin, Jacksonville. Simone Di Girolamo, St. Louis, Mo. John W. Lyons, Waverly. Robert M. Boyd, Jacksonville. Lloyd G. Ogle, Jacksonville. Henry Scott, Jacksonville. Perry T. Burnett, Hanover, Ill. Lee Flinn, Pleasant Plains, Ill. Alfred J. Kehl, Woodson. James E. Newell, Ashland. Lloyd Sheridan O'Leary, Jacksonville. Clifford M. McCall, Alexander. George A. Black, New Berlin. Arthur Brown, Jacksonville. William Z. Nichols, Litterberry. Leo J. Flood, Jacksonville. Ollie E. Poland, Springfield, Ill. Thomas Sweeney, Jacksonville. Benny Shannon, Jacksonville. August F. Phalen, Jacksonville. Elmer W. Twyford, Jacksonville. John F. Sullivan, Jacksonville. Preston E. Carenen, St. Louis, Mo. Henry Farmer, Prentice. Arthur L. Hancock, Covington, Tenn. Raymond F. Ryan, Franklin. James M. Jolly, Franklin. Frank Nunes, Jacksonville. Kenneth H. Brewer, Franklin. Reuben Jones, Franklin. George R. Cain, Jacksonville. Allen T. Waters, Jacksonville. Douglas E. Norton, Jacksonville. John A. Kavanaugh, Ashland. Clarence W. Rataichak, Jacksonville. Charles M. Hocking, Franklin. Charles E. Morrow, Woodson. Dillon H. Bridgman, Jacksonville. Allen S. Baldwin, Jacksonville. Henry S. Nasby, Jacksonville. Edgar Havens, Jacksonville. Harry Shirlcuff, Ashland. Martin C. Poulson, Jacksonville. Alonzo D. Corea, Jacksonville. Homer G. Bradney, Jacksonville. Forest C. Nebold, Jacksonville. James Hale, Arenzville. Carl F. W. Engelbrecht, Chapin. Leo W. Cooney, Jacksonville. James Daly, Chapin. Carl G. Aulabaugh, Sinclair. Elmer R. Gray, Murrayville. Otto Armitage, Murrayville. Harry O. Deatherage, Beardstown, Ill. Harry L. Stringer, Murrayville. William A. White, Jacksonville.

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**FOOD ADMINISTRATION NOTES.**

Notwithstanding the urgent request from the food administration it is understood that some bakers have not been using the required amount of 20 per cent of substitute for wheat flour in bread and rolls. In consequence of violations the food administration has started the slogan "Victory bread or close" which is now effective and the rule will be rigidly enforced in its application to all bakeries. Notice to this effect has just been received by M. F. Dunlap, county food administrator. Bakers are urged also to use potatoes as substitutes to the limit for their ability, four pounds of potatoes being required in place of one pound of substitute. Still another rule promulgated by the baking section of the food administration is that hot cross buns belong to class 1 of the baking regulations which allow no icing and limit other ingredients. Because of the approach of the Easter season special notice is made with reference to hot cross buns. Many requests are being received by the food administration regarding sugar allotments and the administration proposes to announce soon the allotment to each retail dealer and other users of large quantities such as hotels and manufacturers. These allotments will be for monthly periods and postcard notices will be sent out each month to these consumers indicating the allotment for the month. The work of figuring out these allotments is taking more time than the administration expected and accordingly the announcement for March and April will be made at one time and shipments already made will be charged against these allotments. It is hoped that the latter part of April the May apportionments can be announced and that the same rule can be followed with reference to subsequent months.

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### **THE MISSIONARY SOCIETY WILL OBSERVE EASTER.**

The C. W. B. M. of Central Christian church will hold Pre-Easter services each day during the week preceding Easter at the following places: Monday at the home of Mrs. J. B. Wharha, 153 Pine street with Mrs. W. T. Clarkson as leader. Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Charles Patton, 419 North Diamond street with Mrs. C. C. Patchen as leader.

Wednesday with Mrs. M. L. Pontius, 508 West College avenue, with Mrs. George Harney leader.

Thursday with Mrs. D. L. McCarthy, 914 North Main street with Miss Eleanor Thompson as leader. Friday at the home of Mrs. Charles Moore, 320 West North street with Mrs. Carl Walters as leader.

**INCORPORATION PAPERS FILED.** Incorporation papers of the Home Sanatorium Co. were placed on file yesterday in the office of County Recorder C. W. Boston. The incorporators are A. H. Kenniebrew, H. H. DeWitt, James Young and Elizabeth VanBranken. Dr. Kenniebrew is the president, and Miss Van Branken, who is a registered nurse, is secretary.

Dr. A. H. Kenniebrew has returned from Decatur where he was called yesterday to operate at Macon county and St. Mary's hospitals in that city.

## **WILL YOU DISREGARD ONE OF YOUR HIGHEST DUTIES?**

Doubtless you are now meeting fully the responsibility you assumed in establishing a family. But have you provided for every contingency so that the support of your wife and children will be assured. You can provide for your heirs by carefully planning your will, having it prepared by a competent attorney, and by appointing The Farmers State Bank and Trust Company as executor and trustee.

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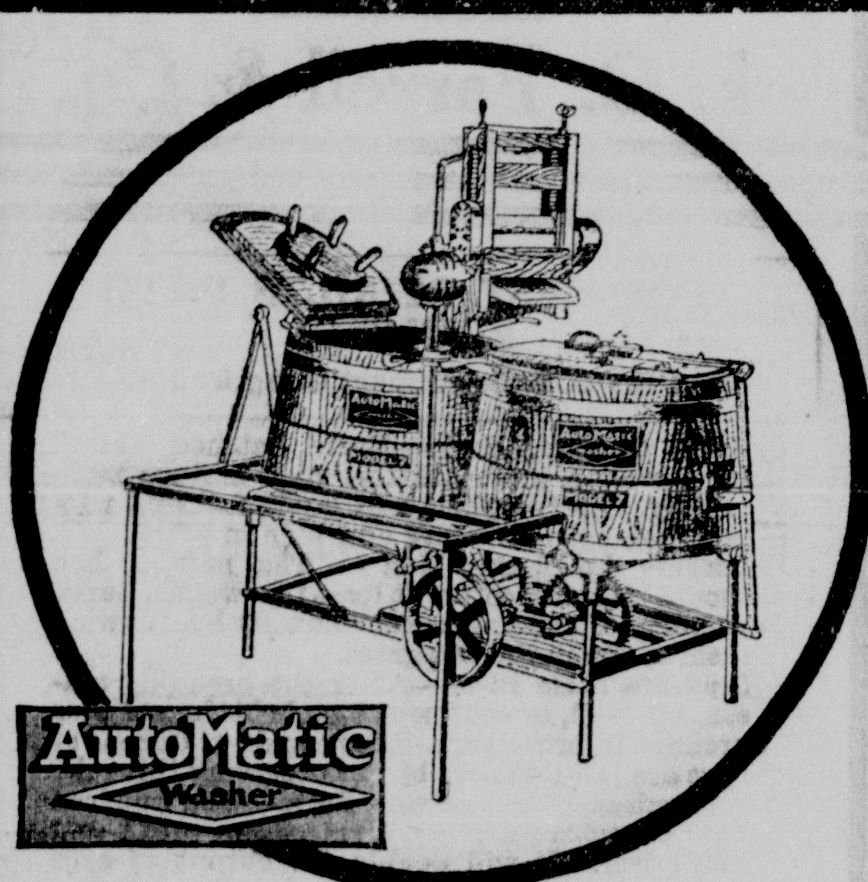
## **Spring Gardening Work**

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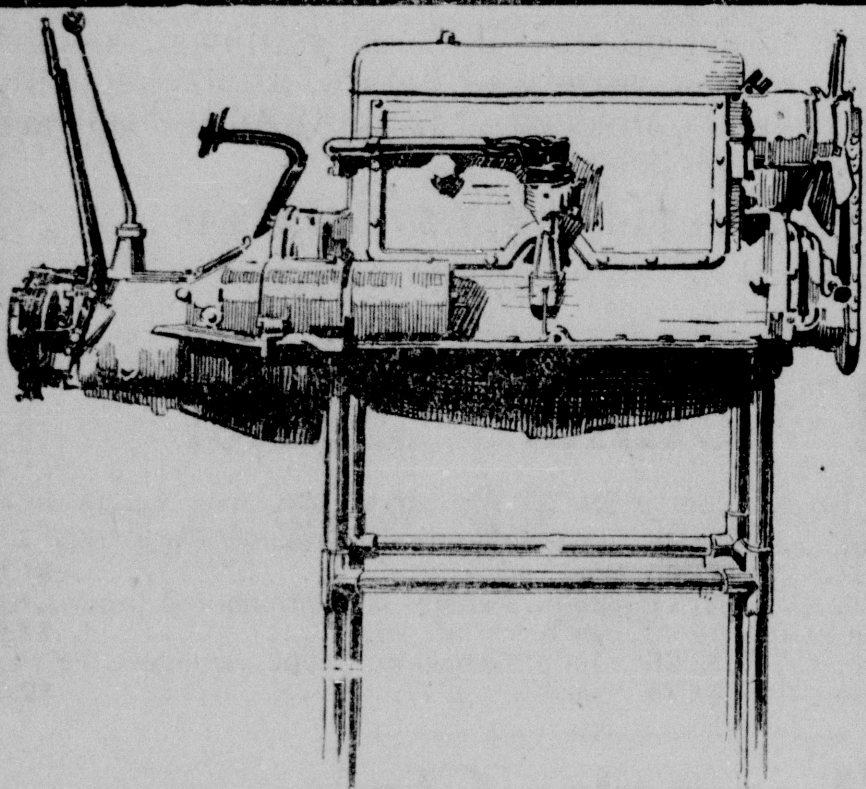
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## American Prisoners In German Camps

WASHINGTON, March 23.—An official list of 200 Americans now prisoners in German camps made public tonight by the state department records the death of Charles Hemphill, shot while attempting to escape in September, 1917, and the death of Andrew Campbell Murtry, an aviator brought down near Pargny, Sept. 30, 1917.

The only American officer in the list is Lieutenant Harold Willis of Newton, Mass., an aviator captured at Verdun on August 18, 1917. He is interned at Camp Gutersloh. Evidently Willis was an officer in a French squadron.

The list, reported by the Royal Prussian War Ministry and transmitted to the state department thru the Spanish embassy in Berlin and the Spanish legation in Bern, contains the names of American troops captured in trench raids, crews of captured ships and survivors of captured ships.

The list also includes the names of American engineers caught in the German turning movement at Cambrai.

The names of prisoners are as follows:

#### At Camp Brandenburg

From the Steamer Suchan captured in the North Sea, October, 1917: Cecil Salvey, South Philadelphia; Arthur Crissie, New York; Mike Perrille, Los Angeles; Theophilus Jones, Brooklyn.

From the Steamer Esmeraldas captured in the Atlantic, March 10, 1917: Elmer Sorrensen, Philadelphia; Daniel Gerrity, Whitley, Ky.; Edward McDonald, address is not given; William Thompson, Jamestown, N. Y.; Frederick Stone, Washington; William Parker, Spencer, New York; Edward Martin, Baltimore; M. J. John Sawyer, Dubuque, Iowa; Thomas Durfee, Boston, Mass.; Paul Naezel, Belleville, N. J.; Sam Youdin, New York.

From the Steamer Campana, captured in Bay of Biscay, Aug. 6, 1917: Alfred Oliver, New York; James Deane, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Ray Roop, Boyne City, Mich.; Charles Kline, Reading, Pa.; Frederick Jacobs, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Albert William Miller, South Chicago.

From the Steamer Bergen, captured in the Atlantic, Feb. 1st, 1917: John Lepo, Baltimore.

From the Steamer Bulgarian, captured in the Atlantic January 21, 1917: James Samuels, Kingston, Jamaica.

From the Steamer Mount Temple, place and date of capture not given: Raoul Balois, address unknown. From the Destroyer Jacob Jones, captured in English channel, Dec. 6, 1917: Albert de Mello, New Bedford, Mass.; John P. Murphy, Newport, R. I.; A. T. Camp, Brooklyn.

From the Esmeraldas captured in the Atlantic, March 10, 1917: Charles Markett, Anderson, Baltimore; Charles Carrell Bobart, Baltimore; Eugene Boykin, Anderson, S. C.; Barney Boyle, Detroit, Mich.; J. William Breen, Boston; Oscar C. Byrd, Roanoke, Va.; John Carr, Dublin, Ireland; Frederick W. Carter, Newport News, Va.; Edward E. Caskey, Jersey City, N. J.; Henry J. Martin, Walton, Fla.; Harry Mason, Baltimore; Walter Mason, Baltimore; John Miller, Baltimore; J. Louis Mitchell, Baltimore; Thomas Moore, Norfolk, Va.; Joseph W. Morgan, Pawtucket, R. I.; Joseph Conner, McKeesport, Pa.; Leslie E. Pedigo, Louisville, Ky.; Paul Phillips, Pasadena, Cal.; Allen Reynolds, Lancaster, Pa.; Bernard Rogers, Ceres, Vermont; Everett G. Barnhardt, Charlotte, N. C.; Rosemary Perry, Middletown, Conn.; William M. Fitzgerald, New York; Clifford L. Godsie, Appomattox, Va.; Lewis F. Hanbury, Norfolk, Va.; Henry Hendry, Norfolk, Va.; Mike Holland, Baltimore; George H. Jolly, New York; J. A. Larcome, Chelsea, Mass.; Thomas H. McCarthy, Richmond, Va.; Samuel McCulley, Denison, O.; Robert H. Smith, Baltimore; William W. Smith, Harpers Ferry, W. Va.; Willett C. Smith, South Norwalk, Conn.; Walter Trout, Washington; Jesse Wallace, Chesterfield, S. C.; Howard Warren, Myersville, Md.; Thomas Wheelly, Baltimore; Zibulon Williams, Richmond, Va.; Harry Rogers, Babylon, L. I.; John Rome, New York; Albert W. Santee, Dumfries, Va.

#### At Camp Duimen

From the Steamer Georgic, captured Dec. 10, 1916: Walter Aberle, Brooklyn; William Adams, Brooklyn; John Smith, New York; Francis Sulley, New York; Frank E. Taylor, Brooklyn; Arthur F. Thimme, New York; Charles E. Williams, Cambridge, Mass.; Joe Blake, Brooklyn; John Allen, New York; John Brady, East Boston, Mass.; Edward Joseph

Brennan, Brooklyn; Edward V. Brown, Albany, N. Y.; Edward Carle, Brooklyn; Edward Clarke, Philadelphia; Martin Connolly, Brooklyn; Frank Dailley, Indianapolis; Albert DePew, Yonkers, N. Y.; Richard Donnelly, New York; Viniah Edge, New Bedford, Mass.; Albert Ferolito, New York; Arthur D. Field, Yonkers, N. Y.; George W. Fields, Philadelphia; Peter J. Gallagher, Amity Villa, L. I.; Robert Gilmore, Province, R. I.; John L. Hartley, Brooklyn; Harold Hinkle, Randolph, Mass.; William Hutchinson, New York; Harry Haynes, New York; William C. Kennedy, Brooklyn; Harry Laverro, New York; John McCarty, Haverhill, (State not given); Thomas McFarren, New York; John McCarty, New Bedford, Mass.; Frank McHughes, New York.

From the Steamer Voltair captured in the Atlantic, Dec. 2, 1916: Dennis J. Harrison, Leeds, England. The following prisoners were captured at Gouzeicourt November 30, 1917.

#### At Camp Duimen

Privates Frank Brooks, London; Charles Geoghegan, New York; John Lalley, West Chester, N. Y.; Ulrich Maney, New York; Harry Masoa, Jersey City; George Seaman, Long Island; Peter Tingo, (no town given); Herbert Ueltz, Newark, N. J.; Vylon VanDemack, New Plattz, N. J.; Corporal Frank Upton, New York; William McKellar, Tampa, Fla.; James Madigan, Brooklyn; Edward J. Mallon, Yonkers, N. Y.; John Marco, Brooklyn; Warren Middleton, Toledo, O.; Walter Moffett, Brooklyn; John Nyberg, New York; Earl E. Ogren, New York; John O'Rourke, New Jersey; Patrick O'Shea, New York; James Parker, Jersey City, N. J.; Helms Rein, Sand Point, Idaho; Edward Roche, Yonkers, N. Y.; John Ryan, New York; Charles Scott, New York; Joseph Sigismund, New York; James Sims, New York.

From the steamer Mount Temple, captured June 12, 1916, in the Atlantic at Camp Duimen: John McGreal, Liverpool; Raymond Gilbert, Danvers, Mass.; Harry Gilmore, Kingston, Ont.; John Glenan, Cambridge, Mass.; Dan Goodman, New York.

From steamer Brecknockshire captured in the Atlantic Feb. 17, 1917, at Duimen: Louis Easter, Seattle, Wash.

At Camp Rastatt, Baden, Alfred Dixon, civilian captured at Lens, November 21, 1916, address not given.

At Camp Frankfort-Main: Ralph Bokel and Nikolaus Rotmann, both civilians; other details lacking.

At Camp Beeskow: Dr. John Brown, Hampton, Va., captured on Steamer Esmeraldas.

At Camp Holmsinden: Jan Krummigo, captured at Gandersheim; Fernard Beryken, Grenze, Holland; Johann Aarbach, Nordenham; Veterinarian Richard Zabriskie, Eaglewood, N. J., from Steamer Mount Temple, in North Atlantic.

At Camp Tichel, West Prussia, captured at Elsas-Lothringen, Nov. 11, 1917: Sergeant Edgar M. Hummel, Stony Point, N. C.; Privates Clyde J. Grimsley, Stockton, Kans.; John P. Lester, Tutwiler, Miss.; Harry R. Loughman, Chicago; Herschel Godfrey, Chicago; Vernon Kendall, Roll, Okla.; Hoyt Decker, Vincennes, Ind.; Daniel B. Gallagher, West Blocton, Ala.

At Camp Minden, captured at Gouzeicourt, Nov. 30, 1917: Sergeant Paul Marshall Swenson, New York.

At Camp Colne Rhein: Edward Lemmen, civilian; date, place of capture and address not given.

At Camp Havelburg: Captured in German cities: Josef and Maria Foaster, Jacob Kukhis, Leon Poinisgnon, Karl Hummel, Bruno Bravan, addresses given show foreign residence; William Herold, Altona; Joseph Meyers, Cassell; August Roth, Turnhout; Karl Ruter, Altona; other details lacking.

At Camp Holmsinden: Dr. John Davies, Columbus, Miss.; Orville McKreim, New York, veterinarian; both captured in North Atlantic from Steamer Georgic; Dr. Herbert Snyder, Norfolk, from steamer Voltair, in North Atlantic.

At Camp Cassell: Christian Kepple, date, place of capture and address not given.

A statement by the committee on public information accompanying the list of prisoners said:

"Mail intended for any prisoner of war interned in Germany should be addressed to the prisoner by name, followed by 'American prisoner of war, via New York City,' the name and location of the prison camp at which he is interned."

#### PAINT ANOTHER SLACKER.

Christopher, Ill., March 23.—An alleged draft evader whose name is unknown to the police was coated from head to foot with yellow paint tonight by local vigilance committee. This same committee numbering more than 300 persons last night tarred and feathered four men who were accused of making disloyal remarks.

#### OFFICIALLY SANCTIONED.

New York, March 23.—Re-totation of tennis championship play for the coming season was officially sanctioned here tonight with adoption of a 140 tournament schedule by the executive committee of the National Tennis association.

#### REACH AGREEMENT.

Washington, March 23.—The food administration and army and navy purchasing departments today reached an agreement to allow manufacturers of "hard bread" and navy biscuits such excess of wheat flour over their 70 per cent allotment as is demanded by the new contracts to supply the fighting forces.

## GREAT DEVELOPMENT IN U. S. SECRET SERVICE

History of American Participation in Great War Will Tell of Work in Ferreting Out Intrigue and Espionage—Alert to Every Move of Importance.

Washington, March 23.—When the history of American participation in the great war comes to be written, some of the most interesting chapters will be those devoted to an account of the development of the United States Secret Service and its work in ferreting out those who would give Uncle Sam a stab in the back.

Intrigue and espionage have ever been revolting to the sentiment of the United States. In the entire history of the nation's diplomacy the aim of the Government has been to deal straightforwardly with all other governments. From Benjamin Franklin down to James W. Gerard, through times of war as well as of peace, the policy of the United States, in her relations with all other Powers, has been stamped by frankness and sincerity. It would be impossible to imagine any one of the long lines of American diplomats descending to the methods of espionage and propaganda, even to the encouragement of actual acts of violence and destruction, that have been pursued by the diplomatic representatives of Germany.

The United States government has never made a specialty of detective work of any kind. Whatever has been done along that line has been simply incidental. So little use had the United States found for a secret service during the first seventy-five years of her history, that when it was deemed necessary to throw protection about Abraham Lincoln on his journey from Springfield, Ill., to Washington for his first inauguration, a private detective had to be assigned to the task.

With the beginning of the civil war, however, Edwin M. Stanton, the secretary of war, organized a federal detective force that was soon rendering satisfactory service to the Government. After the civil war, the so-called secret service became a postoffice inspection department, to be extended later into a bureau of the Treasury Department, for the hunting down of smugglers, counterfeiters, or moonshiners.

Nevertheless, from the beginning of the great European conflict in 1914, the United States Secret Service has been alert to every move of international importance, especially to every move of consequence to its own Government. Nothing was more carefully or more persistently cultivated, in the early months of the war, as proof of Germany's marvelous efficiency, than the operations of her spy system.

It was known that, for years prior to the war with Austria, Prussia had been building up a system of espionage that was to find its first large expression in the honeycombing of the reign of Napoleon III. It was known that, with the triumph of 1870, Germany had entered with still greater energy into the development of her spy system, until she had representatives in every section of England and France, until restaurant and hotel waiters, school teachers, college professors, shop keepers, barbers, domestic servants, people bearing German names in almost every calling were, first of all, agents of the Berlin secret system. Germany had planted spies along the prospective routes of her armies for years before the time seemed opportune for striking the blow. There was, apparently, no place where the German spy was not in 1914-15, and the world was asked, by the admirers of German efficiency, to stand at respectful attention and be properly amazed.

But there are persons in Washington today in a position to know that, on the whole, German espionage has been characterized by clumsiness and stupidity. Its operations have been detected, exposed, and rendered ridiculous by the secret service of a country that has never had any particular respect for espionage, and that has less respect for it today.

There is not believed to be a single instance, in which the protective secret service of the United States has been called on to contend with the aggressive German espionage system, where the latter has not been defeated in its purpose.

#### SHOWS BEST FORM.

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## FAMILY HISTORY SHOWS PATRIOTIC LINE

F. M. Brewer has interesting records running back to Revolutionary days—Two Sons in Army Service.

F. M. Brewer, formerly proprietor of the Dunlap hotel and long a resident of the Waverly neighborhood, is making a brief visit in Jacksonville. For several months past Mr. Brewer has been spending nearly all of his time in Springfield, taking medical treatment as a series of operations on his nose has been necessary.

In these days of special war interest the thoughts of people naturally turn toward patriotic family records. In this regard Mr. Brewer has a family history of which any man could well feel proud. Mr. Brewer's forefathers were early settlers of Pennsylvania and Indiana, and he was born in Harrison county, Ind., in 1860. He has in his possession and was displaying to a number of Jacksonville friends yesterday the records to show the military and patriotic history of his family back to the time of his great grandfather, and this is supplemented by the present day fact that two of his own sons are now in the army service.

In a somewhat extended article the State Register recently gave this summary of Mr. Brewer's family history:

### In the Revolution

"Two of my great grandfathers, Vincent Brewer and Danford Carter, were soldiers of the American revolution. One of them was related to Gen. Richard Butler and all three of them served together, fighting the Indians, taking part in that memorable battle of Nov. 14, 1791, when Butler was made a brigadier general in St. Clair's army. General Butler was killed in that battle and was scalped by the Indians. The city and county of Butler were named in his honor. On May 30, 1917, a tablet to his memory was erected at

Butler, Pa., under the auspices of the Daughters of the American Revolution. One of my grandfathers, W. D. Carter, was in the battle of Tippecanoe, Nov. 7, 1811, and fought with that old hero, William Henry Harrison. He also went thru the war of 1812 and in 1832 was in the Black Hawk war with Lincoln and Jeff Davis, who met for the first time in the common defense of their country's flag. He had been married then for twelve years. On his return home, getting within a mile of his residence, he found the creek a raging torrent following heavy rains, so not to be delayed in the reunion with his loved ones he left his gun and baggage at a neighbors house and swam across the stream. A short time after that when the father of the Judge Walter Q. Gresham was sheriff of Harrison county, Indiana, he was shot and killed by a desperado. My grandfather captured the man who did the shooting and he was convicted and hanged.

### Later Wars

"My mother had two uncles in the Mexican war, Isaac and David Lemon. I had four uncles from Harrison county in the Civil War: William Brewer, William Carter, Oliver Cromwell, and Sanford Cromwell, the last named being killed in one of the battles of the Vicksburg campaign. One of my uncles, John O'Connor, and his two sons, Willis and Henry, who were soldiers in the civil war, formerly resided in Springfield, Mo., on Mason street.

"Besides these, I had two cousins from Bureau county and three cousins from Fulton county, Illinois, in the civil war, one of the latter being D. L. Musselman, afterward founder and owner of the Gem City Business College at Quincy. His full name was 'Marquis De Lafayette,' but he cut it short by signing himself 'D. L.' I had one cousin in the Spanish-American war and there are now, as nearly as I can tell, thirteen of my relatives in the present war. These include my two sons, W. F. Brewer, who is in the engineering department of the 75th aero squadron, now in France, and Ernest Brewer, who is in the quartermaster's department at St. Louis and subject to orders to go abroad at any time.

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Miss Barrymore added to her popularity and enhanced her genius corporation.

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Thank goodness they are here in plenty of time. "They" means white or gray or brown washable kid boots; also very pretty black kid pumps and oxfords suitable for early spring wear.

### HAS POSITION IN WASHINGTON

Miss Cecil Templin, who has been serving as stenographer in the office of State's Attorney Carl E. Robinson, yesterday received telegraphic information of her appointment to an excellent position in the war department at Washington. Miss Templin made application some weeks ago and expects to leave Jacksonville in time to begin work in her new position April 1. She will be with Jacksonville friends in the national capital.

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## SEMINARY SCHOOL RECEIVED FLAG

Scott County School Receives Flag for Selling Red Cross Stamps—Surgical Dressings Department of Red Cross Makes Large Shipment—Other News Notes.

Winchester, March 23.—The Seminary school near Kiggston, where Miss Ruth Reeder is teacher, received a flag Friday as a reward for selling the most Red Cross stamps. Pupils of the school sold 765 stamps.

Mrs. Gertrude Demereth and Miss Louise Frost spent Friday afternoon in White Hall, where they attended the surgical dressing department at the home of Miss Jessie Griswold.

Little Ruth Cline, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cline, is very ill at her home in the west part of town.

The surgical dressing department has shipped 3,105 articles since the 1st of January, and their second class will finish the course Tuesday. This will make eighteen more ladies qualified as supervisors. Miss Frost, secretary, has recently received a letter of praise for the shipment of refugee work, which has been fully up to the standard set for communities.

Mrs. Ed Rohrer and son John expect to leave Sunday for Barry for a week's visit with relatives. On account of the wreck near Arenville No. 48 did not arrive until 5:45 Saturday.

Misses Elsie Holloway and Dorothy Oehler arrived from Concord where they are teaching for a short visit with their parents.

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### A CENTURY OF ROMANCE

IN MOTION PICTURES. As previously announced, a ten weeks serial of pictures, "The Son of Democracy," will begin at Scott's theater next Wednesday. Thru special arrangement made by the superintendent of schools a very low rate has been made in the hope that all school children can attend. Announcement of this serial is as follows:

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### CLUBS AND SOCIETY

The Passavant Hospital Aid Society will meet next Thursday afternoon at the hospital. A full attendance is desired.

The Fortnightly will meet with Miss Ruth Bailey, 605 Jordan street at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon. Topic, "Abraham Lincoln," will be discussed by Mrs. Palmer.

The Directors of the Social Service League will meet at the Public Library Tuesday, March 26th at 7:30. Business of importance.

The Red Cross Workers of the First Baptist church will meet at the church parlors Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The Wednesday Class will meet this week with Mrs. Sherman Leavitt on Grove street.

The Literary Union will meet Monday evening with W. D. Wood. Subject "Jacksonville's High School Possibilities." Leader H. A. Perrin.

W. R. C. ladies will hold their March birthday at the home of Mrs. Mary Dunavan, 952 Hardin avenue, Thursday afternoon.

The Pastor's Aid Society of Grace church will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the church to sew on utility bags for the Red Cross.

### MATRIMONIAL

Bolton-Sorrells.

Claude Bolton and Miss Minnie Sorrells, both of the Murrayville neighborhood, were united in marriage at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon by the Rev. A. A. Todd at his home on North Prairie street. They were accompanied by Lloyd Sorrells and Miss Edith Kehl. The groom is a farmer and they will reside on a farm near Murrayville.

Winters-Schildman

Frank R. Winters and Miss Amanda Schildman were united in marriage at Centenary church parsonage Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock by the Rev. W. R. Leslie, pastor of Centenary church. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. George Schildman and Miss Minnie Winters. The bride is the daughter of William Schildman of East Wokott and has spent most of her life in this city. She is a member of Centenary church and is a young woman who is greatly admired in a large circle of friends. The groom is a cigarmaker by trade. They will reside on Beasley avenue.

Miss Edith Trautman is the Democratic nominee for village treasurer of Seneca Falls, N. Y.

## MANCHESTER RESIDENT DIES IN SPRINGFIELD

Death Came to Mrs. S. A. Jeffords After Several Weeks' Illness—Funeral Services for Dr. T. A. Caldwell—Manchester News Notes.

Manchester, March 23.—Mrs. S. A. Jeffords passed away at the Springfield hospital Friday night, after an illness of several weeks duration. Mrs. Jeffords has spent most of her life in Manchester and is well known to people here. She was sixty six years of age and leaves a family of six children, beside the aged husband. The remains will arrive Saturday night from Springfield and funeral services will be conducted Monday afternoon.

Charles Woodall transacted business in St. Louis this week.

Misses Mary Cummings and Wilma Walker too the examination for a teacher's certificate in Jacksonville Thursday and Friday of this week.

L. A. Mehrhoff has returned from a visit with relatives in New York.

Mrs. C. H. Dean spent Wednesday in Jacksonville.

Funeral services for Dr. T. A. Caldwell were held from the residence of Mrs. Anna Caldwell Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. W. E. Matthews of the Lebanon, Mo., M. E. church officiating. Appropriate music was furnished by Mrs. E. O. Heas, Mrs. William Arendell and E. L. Maine. Mrs. Hess and Mrs. Arendell sang as a duet the song "He Knows." The bearers were G. D. Barnes, H. A. Heaton, William Mehrhoff, John Robson, J. B. Thomas and William Arendell. Mrs. C. H. Caldwell carried for the funeral tribute. Interment in Manchester cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Meek and son, Chester, of Rock Bridge and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Meek of Carrollton spent Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Anna Caldwell.

Among those attending the ministerial meeting in White Hall Thursday from here were: Rev. and Mrs. E. T. Peters, Mrs. C. W. Boyer, Mrs. Ella Watt and daughter, Miss Nola, Mrs. Mary Rousey and Misses Pearl Rousey, Martha and Edna, Alred Edna Peters and Mildred Lakin.

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## DEATHS

Vasey

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Vasey passed away at Passavant hospital Saturday evening. No funeral arrangements have been made.

Wood.

A telegram received Saturday by Mrs. Jane K. Wood of Duncan Place announced the death of her grandson, Preston Wood, at the home of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Albert L. Wood, Leavenworth, Kans. The boy was fourteen years of age and has been ill with pneumonia for a week past and hopes had been entertained for his recovery. However, there must have been a sudden change for the worse and the promising young life was brought to an untimely end. The remains will be brought to Roodhouse Monday for interment. Rev. Mr. Wood was at one time pastor in Roodhouse and is now located at the First Methodist church in Leavenworth.

McDowell.

F. E. McDowell of Fairbury died at Maplewood sanitarium Saturday morning of apoplexy after a brief illness. He had been taking treatment at the sanitarium since last October and had made many friends in the city, because of his genial disposition.

Deceased was 56 years of age at the time of death. He was a banker and with his two brothers had been associated with the First National bank of Fairbury. He is survived by two sisters, who have been in the city for some time.

Mr. McDowell was a member of the Methodist church and of the Masonic fraternity and was prominent in the business and social life at his home city. The remains were removed to Reynolds undertaking parlors and prepared for burial. The body will be taken to Fairbury Sunday where funeral services will be held and burial made.

Shepherd.

Mrs. Deborah Shepherd died at the Old Peoples Home on Grove street Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Deceased was the daughter of Hiram and Margaret Shepherd and was born on the farm of her father eight miles east of the city December 23, 1845.

Her parents were natives of Kentucky and came to Illinois in the pioneer days and were prominently identified with the early history of Antioch neighborhood and of Morgan county. Mrs. Shepherd spent her early life in this county and was educated in this city.

She was united in marriage to R. M. Shepherd February 21, 1871 and most of her married life was spent in Bloomington. She entered the home last August. One sister, Miss Mary Smedley survives.

Mrs. Shepherd was a member of the Christian church and during her long life gave much time to church activities. She was a woman of fine christian character and won and held many friends.

Funeral services will be held from the home this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock with burial in Antioch cemetery.

Doyle.

Mrs. John Doyle died at her home 903 Allen avenue Saturday night at 10:20 o'clock following an illness of long duration.

Deceased was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sanders, her maiden name being Miss Genevieve Sanders. She was 37 years of age at the time of her death.

Mrs. Doyle is survived by her father, now a resident of Springfield, by the husband, five children, Cath-

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### CONDENSED STATEMENT

As Reported to the United States Government at the Close of Business, March 4, 1918

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$1,901,241.90
Overdrafts	7,250.02
United States Bonds	200,000.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	7,500.00
Other Bonds and Securities	922,446.68
Furniture and Fixtures	11,000.00
Real Estate	500.00

Cash Resources	
Cash and due from National and Other Banks	\$811,526.83
Due from Federal Reserve Bank	163,919.85

\$4,025,385.29

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 200,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided Profits	141,302.54
Circulating Notes	200,000.00
Deposits	3,434,082.75

\$4,025,385.29

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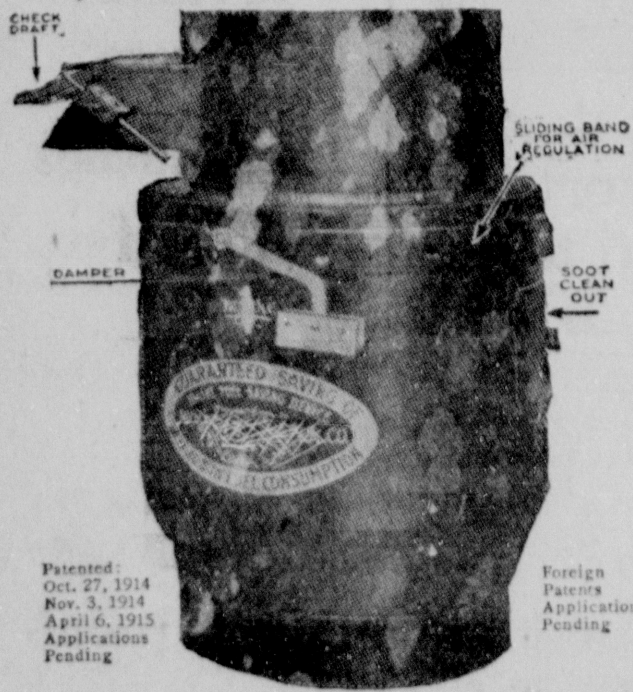
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## BULLETINS

LONDON, March 23.—The guns in France are distinctly heard in London tonight, particularly in high places there is a continuous throbbing. Many persons have gone to the house tops to listen.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Two American fliers are named in an official dispatch from France today as bringing down German airplanes. Lieutenant Lerner downed a German opponent in the Champagne region and Corporal Bayles brought down one near Courtenay.

LONDON, March 23.—The British in Palestine have forced passage of the river Jordan, bridged the stream and established themselves on the east bank. They afterwards advanced eastward against considerable opposition and are continuing their operations according to the official report announcing the crossing.

LONDON, March 23.—American Secretary of War Baker arrived from Calais at five p. m. He was accompanied by Major Frederick Palmer. The secretary was met by Ambassador Page, Generals Biddle and Bartlett and by Col. Lord Duncannon, representing the British war office. Mr. Baker drove to the house of Ambassador Page, whose guest he will be during his stay in London.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 23.—A few minutes after his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zadok B. Ayers of Jerseyville, had been moved over to the federal grand jury on a charge of obstructing the draft, Elmer Ayers, pleaded guilty in the federal court here today to having failed to register and was sentenced to the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth for a year and a day. The Ayers are religious Zealots and stated in court that the draft is "ungodly, unrighteous and unconstitutional."

By their own admission they urged their three sons not to register, but two of the brothers refused to follow their parents' requests upon learning of the penalty and are now in service at Camp Pike, Ark.

WASHINGTON, Mar. 23.—Wheat receipts at mills have fallen from 8,000,000 bushels to 3,000,000 a week within the last month according to figures received by government agencies. The decline is ascribed to the desire to hold wheat for higher prices which would be obtained if congress passes a bill now pending to increase the price of wheat to \$2.50 a bushel.

Wheat growers have written the food administration threatening to abandon the planting of corn for the sowing of wheat unless the corn price also is raised and fixed. Food administration officials fear the situation as serious and since a great decline in the corn acreage possibly might result in a tremendous decrease in hogs and other meat animals.

**STRIPE REGULATION  
NURSES DRESSES, ALL  
SIZES, ONLY \$4.00 AT HER-  
MAN'S.**

**PASSION WEEK PROGRAM  
AT GRACE CHURCH.**

At Grace church this morning Miss Emma Nourse, returned missionary from Africa, will deliver an address especially suited to Palm Sunday. At the evening service the chorus choir will sing "From Olivet to Calvary." Rev. F. B. Madden, pastor of Grace church, has arranged a special series of Passion week services to begin Monday evening and continue thru Friday. Different ministers and soloists will have charge each evening of the week, the program having been arranged as follows:

Monday—Rev. J. O. Kirkpatrick, Miss Louise Fletcher.  
Tuesday—Rev. E. L. Fletcher, Mrs. E. L. Hill.  
Wednesday—Rev. F. B. Madden, Miss Rena M. Lazelle.  
Thursday—Dr. F. M. Rule, Mrs. Florence P. Hartmann.  
Friday—Dr. J. R. Harker, Mrs. O. H. Wilder.

E. C. Newman of Murrayville recently purchased from J. Bart Johnson a new piano for his wife and daughter, Mary Elizabeth. The piano will be a desired addition to the Newman home.

**AVIATOR KILLED**  
Miami, Fla., March 23.—Second Lieutenant Lester C. Bauman, of Salt Lake City, an aviator in the marine corps was instantly killed this afternoon as a result of a fall in a hydroaeroplane.

Reuben Pulse and Rollie Huddleston and mother are visiting at the home of Mrs. Clara Mathews on West College street.

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## NO PREJUDICE AGAINST HORSE MEAT IN PARIS

Is Much Used Article of Diet Among  
Less Wealthy—Law Forbids Sale  
Except in Special Shops.

Paris, March. — (Correspondence of The Associated Press)—England is beginning to talk about eating horse flesh as an unpleasant but possible eventually of the future. In France there has never been the same prejudice against horse meat, and the horse has been a recognized and much used article of diet among the less wealthy. Horse steaks, finely minced, is widely prescribed by French physicians, to be eaten raw or a tonic by weak persons and sickly children.

In Paris and its suburbs there are about 1,000 butcher shops where only horse meat is sold, and the average trade is four or five horses each week. They sell nothing but horse meat, because the law forbids the sale except in special shops. They do not hide shamefacedly up back streets. There are several within a stone's throw of Madeleine and half a dozen within shopping distance of the American Embassy.

The Paris horse butcher is so little ashamed of his calling that he paints his shop a brilliant red and puts a gilded horse's head outside as a sign. All his meat comes from a special horse slaughter house at Vauguard, where the butchering is conducted under rigid municipal supervision.

It is a mistake, according to Paris experts to suppose that the younger the horse the better the meat. The reverse is said to be true. At least horses eight years old and upward are preferred, and below that age the meat is said to be tough and unflavored.

The price of the best cuts of horse meat in Paris is at present from 18 to 50 cents a pound, having doubled since the war.

### GIVES FIGURES TO SHOW SIZE OF ENGLISH ARMY

London, March. — Introducing the army estimates in the House of Commons, the Under-Secretary of State for War said that the army was consuming three times as much imported meat as the whole population before the war. During 1917 the following had been purchased: 84,000,000 pounds of tea, 177,000,000 pounds of sugar, 145,000,000 tins of condensed milk, 11,000,000 pounds of cigarettes and 250,000,000 yards of textiles.

In order to give some size of the British armies, he said that in ten months 48,542 commissioned officers and 6,435 warrant officers have been appointed, 25,000 promotions had been made from second to first lieutenants, 16,800 officers and 49,100 men mentioned in honor lists, 600,000 men had been given leave in the last four months and 200,000 men in the last four weeks.

The Labor Corps now numbers 250,000 of all races and colors. During 1917, there have been conveyed to the front 500,000 animals, 200,000 vehicles and 90,000,000 tons of stores.

In Mesopotamia, he said, 1,102 square miles were already under cultivation for the benefit of the army.

### CLAIM GEODETIC SOCIETY STILL EXISTS

Amsterdam, March. — In 1886 the United States and 22 other countries joined with Germany in establishing the International Geodetic Society, which has to do with measuring the earth, and established its headquarters at the Royal Institute in Potsdam. The agreement under which the headquarters office was maintained lapsed in 1916, owing to the war, but the German newspapers now announce that the old arrangement has been renewed thru the efforts of Dutch and Swiss geographers, and the headquarters of this important scientific body will remain in Germany, not only during the war, but for a considerable period of years afterward.

### URGE ESTABLISHMENT OF RABBIT WARREN

Guildford, England, March. — In order to increase the food supply, the country Food Control Committee has asked the town council to finance a scheme for starting a rabbit warren on a site now used as a recreation ground. It is estimated that at the end of a year 4,000 tame rabbits would be available for food-stuff.

### ISSUE BOUT PERMIT

Cleveland, O., March 23.—A permit has been issued for a patriotic show featuring Benny Leonard, Packey McFarland, and probably Johnny Kilbane to be held here April 4 by the Cleveland Athletic Club, the proceeds to be divided between the Athletic Equipment Funds at Camp Taylor, Louisville, Ky., and the Great Lakes Naval Training Station at Chicago.

**TO BE LOADED FOR FRANCE.**  
Washington, March 23.—A fleet of thirty three liberty trucks, the first output of the quantity production which has been ordered to supply the army with motor vehicles left Lima, Ohio, today for a eastern port where they will be loaded for France.

### CONDUCTING CAMPAIGN.

London, Friday, March 22.—A Daily Mail dispatch from Tien-Tsin says that Japanese University professors are conducting a campaign in favor of sending half a million troops as far as Irkutsk into Siberia to check the German ambitions in the Far East before it is too late.

### ARCHBISHOP SPEAKS

Harrisburg, Pa., March 23.—"What Abraham Lincoln settled for America, America must now settle for the world," declared the Most Rev. Cosmo Gordon Lang, archbishop of York in an address in the hall of the house of representatives at the state capitol today.

## WAGES ON FARMS COMPARED WITH CITY

Roy C. Bishop, Farm Labor Administrator for Illinois Presents Some Interesting Figures.

The Chicago Tribune yesterday had the following comparison of farm and city labor costs.

Roy C. Bishop, farm labor administrator for Illinois, yesterday compiled figures which he declared are conservative as comparisons in the values of city and farm jobs.

For married men, according to his figures, a farm job paying \$35 a month is equal to a city job paying \$99; farm job \$40, equals city job, \$104; farm, \$45, city, \$109; farm, \$55, city, \$114.

For a single man, these are the figures: A farm job paying \$30 a month is equal to a city job paying \$99 a month; farm job, \$35, equals city job, \$104; farm, \$40, city, \$109; farm, \$45, city, \$114.

Nearly 100 men have been sent from Chicago to jobs on farms this week. More than 300 men have been registered, but fully two-thirds of these are men who have never had farm experience.

### J. L. PICKERING WILL BE HERE THURSDAY

J. L. Pickering, Internal Revenue Collector will be in Jacksonville next Thursday afternoon between the hours of one and five and will be glad to confer with people regarding their income tax schedules or on other matters of business at that time.

### DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS

Excellent building lots West State street, Finley street and West Lafayette avenue now offered on favorable terms. Mrs. E. P. Kirby, 4 Duncan Place, Ill. Phone 65.

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## Order Coal Early

The United States Fuel Administration and the State Fuel Administration orders indicates that consumers who expect to get coal the coming year must file their orders now.

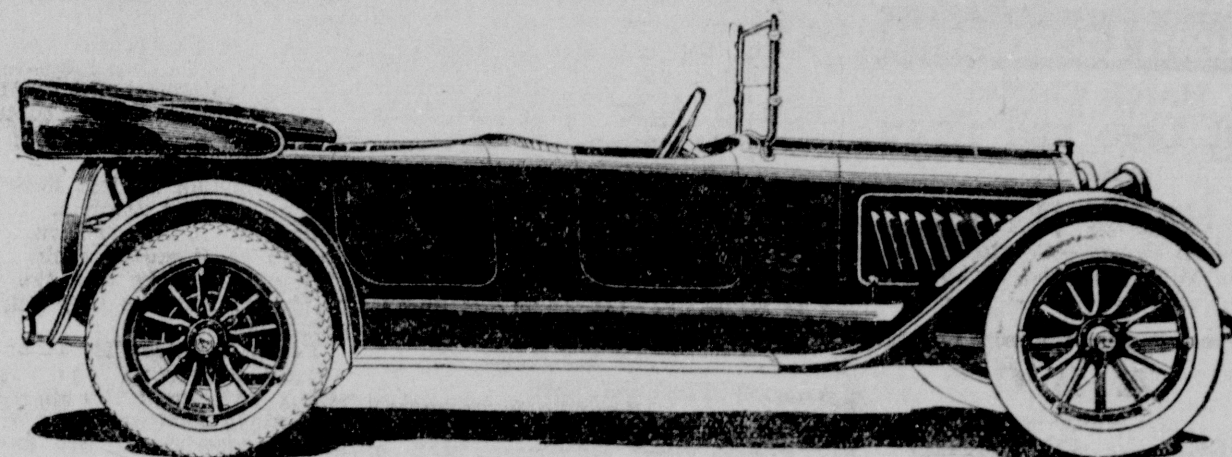
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**Stop! Read! Think!**

An extra strong constructed spike tooth drag HARROW, extra heavy U-bar, teeth carefully tempered and headed, of special tempered steel fully headed and clamped in a way that they will not become loose in any way and be lost—

60 Tooth—10 ft., 2 section	\$17.00
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## STATE TESTS SEED CORN WITH GREAT CARE

County Agent Kendall Tells About Methods Followed at Champaign—Seed Situation one Which Demands Earnest Attention.

(By G. B. Kendall, County Agent.)

At the conference of farm advisers at Urbana, Dr. Burlison of the crop production department read reports on various samples of seed corn sent in from the different counties of Illinois. Among these were fourteen samples sent in by parties living in Morgan county. These samples tested from 60 to 75 per cent. There is no comfort for us in that report.

The danger threatening our 1918 corn crop is that the home grown seed corn has not been tested and the good separated from the bad and that seed corn has been shipped into the county in some cases without the purchasers really knowing where the seed was grown and how it was tested. In some cases this corn has been backed by a guarantee that is of doubtful value.

The state seed corn administrator has been making a strenuous effort

to insure a good stand of corn for the state by getting a supply for those parts where the local supply is of very doubtful value. At present the state administrator can supply through the county seed corn administration a supply of seed corn but it must be ordered soon. If those without seed wait until April 15 or May 1 they may fail to get what they want both in quantity and quality.

The corn handled by the state administration is carefully tested as follows: When the corn is delivered at the warehouses of the administration, it is received in lots of twenty-five bushels each butted, tipper, shelled and contained in bags holding two and one-half bushels each. Each bag is emptied into another and as the grain runs from one bag into another a handful is taken out of each peck. In twenty-five bushels there will thus be taken one hundred handfuls. These are thoroughly mixed and from what is known as composite sample. From this composite sample are taken two pints. One of these is sent to the College of Agriculture for the official test and the other is retained by the county administrator.

At the College of Agriculture 100 grains are taken from the sample received and pushed tip downward into

damp sand. The 100 grains are placed in ten rows of ten grains each in a ten inch square. As this work is done in a greenhouse, the conditions are very favorable for perfect germination. At the end of seven days the test is complete and the count is made. In taking this count the grains are counted so that none are lost. The result of this official test determines what the seller receives and the purchaser pays for the seed sold by the state seed corn administration.

**LEAVE YOUR ORDER FOR YOUR EASTER HAT EARLY IN THE WEEK TO AVOID THE RUSH LATER, AT HERMAN'S.**

### STATE D. A. R. CONFERENCE

#### PLANNED FOR THIS WEEK.

A communication has been received by the Rev. James Caldwell chapter D. A. R. from Mrs. Bahnsen, state regent, urging that the local chapter send a large delegation to the state conference to be held in Springfield March 25, 26 and 27. It has not been generally understood that the conference is open to all members of the organization in the state but such is the case and they will be welcome at all the exercises and social events included in the program for the three days. Representatives of the local chapter will have rooms at the Leland hotel, and it is expected that a large number of local people will be in attendance at the conference.

At the Monday evening session addresses will be made by Hon. Hugh S. Magill and Adjutant Gen. Jackson. On Tuesday a luncheon will be served in the Lincoln room at the Sangamo clubhouse, following which the visitors will be escorted to Lincoln's tomb and other spots famous in state history. Tuesday evening Gov. and Mrs. Lowden will give a reception at the executive mansion for the conference delegates.

**An invitation to inspect, compare and try on the men's hats shown by FRANK BYRN'S Hat Store is extended to every man. You don't have to buy.**

### MATT STARR POST NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Ladies and Gentlemen Are Asked to Come to the Court House Monday Evening at 7:30 to Talk About the Monument.

The members of Matt Starr Post, G. A. R., respectfully request all ladies and gentlemen of Jacksonville and vicinity to attend an indignation meeting at the Court House, circuit court room, Monday evening at 7:30. The manner in which the old soldiers have been treated in the matter of the monument is well known to the public and it is fitting that there be a public expression of the opinion of the people. The meeting will not continue late and need not interfere with a previous engagement.

The veterans do not mean to be greedy or unreasonable but do ask people to stand by their promises. It is earnestly desired to have a large meeting and the members of Matt Starr Post respectfully make this request.

J. M. Swales,  
Commander.  
C. E. McDougall,  
Adjutant.

### GRACE CHURCH

This morning Miss Emma Nourse of Africa, will deliver an address. Miss Nourse is a pleasing speaker with a fascinating story. At the evening hour the chorus will sing Moulder's Oratorio, "From Olivet to Calvary."

### Passion Week—March 24-31

In these tragic days of World War with their National Golgotha of blood and sacrifice, it is meet for us to go with our Saviour to Gethsemane and Calvary and learn the secret of His Passion and victory. To do so with profit let each read prayerfully "His Last Week," a story of Christ's Passion and Resurrection in words of the four Gospels and attend service each evening at 7:30 in the S. S. Auditorium. The preachers and soloists are:

Monday—Rev. J. O. Kirkpatrick; Miss Louise Fletcher.  
Tuesday—Rev. F. L. Fletcher; Mrs. E. L. Hill.  
Wednesday—Rev. F. B. Madden; Miss Rena M. Lazelle.  
Thursday—Dr. F. M. Rule; Mrs. Florence P. Hartmann.  
Friday—Dr. J. R. Harker; Mrs. O. H. Wilder.

### CONFIRMATION AT SALEM

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Today Palm Sunday a class of ten young people, after having been duly instructed in the Word of God, will be publicly examined in the chief doctrines of the Christian religion and receive the rite of confirmation. The members of the class are: Camille Winifred Donovan, Alice Lillian Horner, Freda Margaret Lankamp, Louise Marie Stier, Frances Henrietta Wahl, Clarence Dewey Brookhouse, Orville Emmet Gaither, Clarence William Ingram, Walter Henry Carl Kuppler, Anderson Mullens.

The following will be the order of service which will begin at 9:45 a. m.

Hymn 412—Congregation.  
Examination—Class.  
Hymn 409—Congregation.  
Address by the pastor, J. G. Kuppler.  
Class Son.  
Confirmation Act.  
Solo, "My Redeemer and My Lord"—Mrs. Robert L. Stice.  
Prayer and benediction.  
Hymn 408—Congregation.

**HOME FROM HOT SPRINGS.**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Osborne and Mrs. Eliza Millon have returned to their home in Murrayville after a sojourn of a few weeks at Hot Springs, Ark. They greatly enjoyed the outing and the much needed rest and return greatly refreshed and invigorated.

## Spring Hat Styles the Greatest Ever Shown

We have our CROFUT & KNAPP spring styles ready for your inspection and without a doubt they are the best ever shown.

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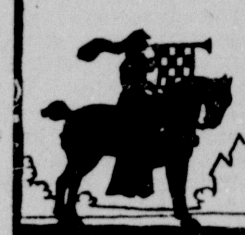
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Regular \$40.00 Axminsters, newest patterns—only 5 rugs at this price ..... **\$32.50**  
Full size mahogany combination Book Case and Desk ..... **\$12.50**  
China Closet, quartered oak, worth double what we ask ..... **\$11.50**  
Large Dresser, quartered oak, 24x30, bevel mirror, compare with anything sold at \$25 now ..... **\$15.00**  
Good Oak Dresser, French plate mirror, good size case ..... **\$10.00**  
\$8.50 grade Combination Mattress, roll edge—good tick ..... **\$7.10**  
Good, long post Dining Chairs, equal to most \$12.00 values, this week, set of 6 ..... **\$8.75**  
All oak spring seat Rockers, compare these with any other at \$8.00 ..... **\$5.00**  
Extra large 54-inch, all oak Buffet, 48-inch bevel mirror, \$35.00 value ..... **\$25.00**

**ARCADÉ**  
Harry R. Hart

### NUNES ESTATE PROPERTY SOLD AT AUCTION

Farm Land and a Number of Houses Disposed of at Saturday's Sale.

A public sale of property belonging to the estate of William Nunes was held Saturday at the court house by the executors, John E. Pires and Samuel Nunes, their attorney being J. O. Priest. Jed Cox was the auctioneer and a tract of land and several pieces of city property were sold.

Otis Hoffman purchased 43½ acres of land located between the C. P. & St. L. and the C. & A. railroads and running from Independence avenue north at a price of \$160 an acre.

The livery barn building on East Court street occupied by J. W. Woods was purchased by George Nunes at the sum of \$2,070.

The store room and flat known as 220-222-224 South Mauvaisterre street were purchased by William Ledford at \$910.

The residence property No. 132 Wolcott street, a house of six rooms, was purchased by George Ferreira at \$545. House No. 719 West Morton avenue went to George Nunes at a price of \$450.

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1 Overland 5 passenger; 1 Overland roadster; good order, second hand. Jacksonville Farm Supply Co.

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M. C. Thompson to N. E. Neill, lots 4, etc., Johnson's second addition to Arcadia, \$1.

D. A. Topf to W. H. Brewer, lots 6 and 7 G. H. Wyatt's addition to Franklin, \$1700.

Harry Hall to W. H. Hyatt, lot 119 Lakeview addition to Meredosa, \$125.

Ralph Skidmore to Harry Waters, lots 1 to 12 Chapin's addition to Jacksonville, \$1.

W. A. Brown to Isaiah Whitlock, pt. northwest quarter 26-13-10, \$1.

John Brown, et al. to S. A. D. Whitlock, pt. northwest quarter 25-13-10, \$5350.

John Brown et al. to Isaiah Whitlock, pt. southwest quarter northwest quarter 26-13-10, \$4,000.

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## BULLETINS

LONDON, March 23.—The guns in France are distinctly heard in London tonight, particularly in high places there is a continuous throbbing. Many persons have gone to the house tops to listen.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Two American fliers are named in an official dispatch from France today as bringing down German airplanes. Lieutenant Lerner downed a German opponent in the Champagne region and Corporal Bayles brought down one near Courtenay.

LONDON, March 23.—The British in Palestine have forced passage of the river Jordan, bridged the stream and established themselves on the east bank. They afterwards advanced eastward against considerable opposition and are continuing their operations according to the official report announcing the crossing.

LONDON, March 23.—American Secretary of War Baker arrived from Calais at five p. m. He was accompanied by Major Frederick Palmer. The secretary was met by Ambassador Page, Generals Biddle and Bartlett and by Col. Lord Duncannon, representing the British war office. Mr. Baker drove to the house of Ambassador Page, whose guest he will be during his stay in London.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 23.—A few minutes after his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zadok B. Ayers of Jerseyville, had been bound over to the federal grand jury on a charge of obstructing the draft, Elmer Ayers, pleaded guilty in the federal court here today to having failed to register and was sentenced to the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth for a year and a day. The Ayers are religious Zealots and stated in court that the draft is "ungodly, unrighteous and unconstitutional."

By their own admission they urged their three sons not to register, but two of the brothers refused to follow their parents' requests upon learning of the penalty and are now in service at Camp Pike, Ark.

WASHINGTON, Mar. 23.—Wheat receipts at mills have fallen from 8,000,000 bushels to 3,000,000 a week within the last month according to figures received by government agencies. The decline is ascribed to the desire to hold wheat for higher prices which would be obtained if congress passes a bill now pending to increase the price of wheat to \$1.50 a bushel.

Wheat growers have written the food administration threatening to abandon the planting of corn for the sowing of wheat unless the corn price also is raised and fixed. Food administration officials regard the situation as serious and since a great decline in the corn acreage possibly might result in a tremendous decrease in hogs and other meat animals.

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**PASSION WEEK PROGRAM  
AT GRACE CHURCH.**

At Grace church this morning Miss Emma Nourse, returned missionary from Africa, will deliver an address especially suited to Palm Sunday. At the evening service the chorus choir will sing "From Olivet to Calvary." Rev. F. B. Madden, pastor of Grace church, has arranged a special series of Passion week services to begin Monday evening and continue thru Friday. Different ministers and soloists will have charge each evening of the week, the program having been arranged as follows:

Monday—Rev. J. O. Kirkpatrick. Miss Louise Fletcher.  
Tuesday—Rev. E. L. Fletcher. Mrs. E. L. Hill.  
Wednesday—Rev. F. B. Madden. Miss Rena M. Lazelle.  
Thursday—Dr. F. M. Rule. Mrs. Florence P. Hartmann.  
Friday—Dr. J. R. Harker. Mrs. O. H. Wilder.

E. C. Newman of Murrayville recently purchased from J. Bart Johnson a new piano for his wife and daughter, Mary Elizabeth. The piano will be a desired addition to the Newman home.

**AVIATOR KILLED**  
Miami, Fla., March 23.—Second Lieutenant Lester C. Bauman, of Salt Lake City, an aviator in the marine corps was instantly killed this afternoon as a result of a fall in a hydroaeroplane.

Reuben Pulse and Rollie Huddleston and mother are visiting at the home of Mrs. Clara Mathews on West College street.

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## NO PREJUDICE AGAINST HORSE MEAT IN PARIS

Is Much Used Article of Diet Among  
Less Wealthy—Law Forbids Sale  
Except in Special Shops.

Paris, March. — (Correspondence of The Associated Press)—England is beginning to talk about eating horse flesh as an unpleasant but possible eventually of the future. In France there has never been the same prejudice against horse meat, and the horse has been a recognized and much used article of diet among the less wealthy. Horse steaks, finely minced, is widely prescribed by French physicians, to be eaten raw as a tonic by weak persons and sickly children.

In Paris and its suburbs there are about 1,000 butcher shops where only horse meat is sold, and the average trade is four or five horses each week. They sell nothing but horse meat, because the law forbids the sale except in special shops. They do not hide shamefacedly up back streets. There are several within a stone's throw of Madeleine and half a dozen within shopping distance of the American Embassy.

The Paris horse butcher is so little ashamed of his calling that he paints his shop a brilliant red and puts a gilded horse's head outside as a sign. All his meat comes from a special horse slaughter house at Vaurigard, where the butchering is conducted under rigid municipal supervision.

It is a mistake, according to Paris experts to suppose that the younger the horse the better the meat. The reverse is said to be true. At least horses eight years old and upward are preferred, and below that age the meat is said to be tough and unflavored.

The price of the best cuts of horse meat in Paris is at present from 18 to 50 cents a pound, having doubled since the war.

### GIVES FIGURES TO SHOW SIZE OF ENGLISH ARMY

London, March. — Introducing the army estimates in the House of Commons, the Under-Secretary of State for War said that the army was consuming three times as much imported meat as the whole population before the war. During 1917 the following had been purchased: 84,000,000 pounds of tea, 177,000,000 pounds of sugar, 145,000,000 tins of condensed milk, 11,000,000 pounds of cigarettes and 250,000,000 yards of textiles.

In order to give some size of the British armies, he said that in ten months 48,542 commissioned officers and 6,435 warrant officers have been appointed. 25,000 promotions had been made from second to first lieutenants, 16,800 officers and 49,100 men mentioned in honor lists, 600,000 men had been given leave in the last four months and 200,000 men in the last four weeks.

The Labor Corps now numbers 250,000 of all races and colors. During 1917, there have been conveyed to the front 500,000 animals, 200,000 vehicles and 90,000,000 tons of stores.

In Mesopotamia, he said, 1,102 square miles were already under cultivation for the benefit of the army.

### CLAIM GEODETIC SOCIETY STILL EXISTS

Amsterdam, March — In 1836 the United States and 22 other countries joined with Germany in establishing the International Geodetic Society, which has to do with measuring the earth, and established its headquarters at the Royal Institute in Potsdam. The agreement under which the headquarters office was maintained lapsed in 1916, owing to the war, but the German newspapers now announce that the old arrangement has been renewed thru the efforts of Dutch and Swiss geographers, and the headquarters of this important scientific body will remain in Germany, not only during the war, but for a considerable period of years afterward.

### URGE ESTABLISHMENT OF RABBIT WARREN

Guildford, England, March. — In order to increase the food supply, the country Food Control Committee has asked the town council to finance a scheme for starting a rabbit warren on a site now used as a recreation ground. It is estimated that at the end of a year 4,000 tame rabbits would be available for food-stuff.

### ISSUE BOUT PERMIT

Cleveland, O., March 23.—A permit has been issued for a patriotic show featuring Benny Leonard, Packey McFarland, and probably Johnny Kilbane to be held here April 4 by the Cleveland Athletic Club, the proceeds to be divided between the Athletic Equipment Funds at Camp Taylor, Louisville, Ky., and the Great Lakes Naval Training Station at Chicago.

### TO BE LOADED FOR FRANCE.

Washington, March 23.—A fleet of thirty three liberty trucks, the first output of the quantity production which has been ordered to supply the army with motor vehicles left Lima, Ohio, today for a eastern port where they will be loaded for France.

### CONDUCTING CAMPAIGN.

London, Friday, March 22.—A Daily Mail dispatch from Tien-Tsin says that Japanese University professors are conducting a campaign in favor of sending half a million troops as far as Irkutsk into Siberia to check the German ambitions in the Far East before it is too late.

### ARCHBISHOP SPEAKS

Harrisburg, Pa., March 23.—"What Abraham Lincoln settled for America, America must now settle for the world," declared the Most Rev. Cosmo Gordon Lang, archbishop of York in an address in the hall of the house of representatives at the state capital today.

## WAGES ON FARMS COMPARED WITH CITY

Roy C. Bishop, Farm Labor Administrator for Illinois Presents Some Interesting Figures.

The Chicago Tribune yesterday had the following comparison of farm and city labor costs.

Roy C. Bishop, farm labor administrator for Illinois, yesterday compiled figures which he declared are conservative as comparisons in the values of city and farm jobs.

For married men, according to his figures, a farm job paying \$35 a month is equal to a city job paying \$99; farm job \$40, equals city job, \$104; farm, \$45, city, \$109; farm, \$55, city, \$114.

For a single man, these are the figures: A farm job paying \$30 a month is equal to a city job paying \$99 a month; farm job, \$35, equals city job, \$104; farm, \$40, city, \$109; farm, \$45, city, \$114.

Nearly 100 men have been sent from Chicago to jobs on farms this week. More than 300 men have been registered, but fully two-thirds of these are men who have never had farm experience.

**J. L. PICKERING WILL  
BE HERE THURSDAY**

J. L. Pickering, Internal Revenue Collector will be in Jacksonville next Thursday afternoon between the hours of one and five and will be glad to confer with people regarding their income tax schedules or on other matters of business at that time.

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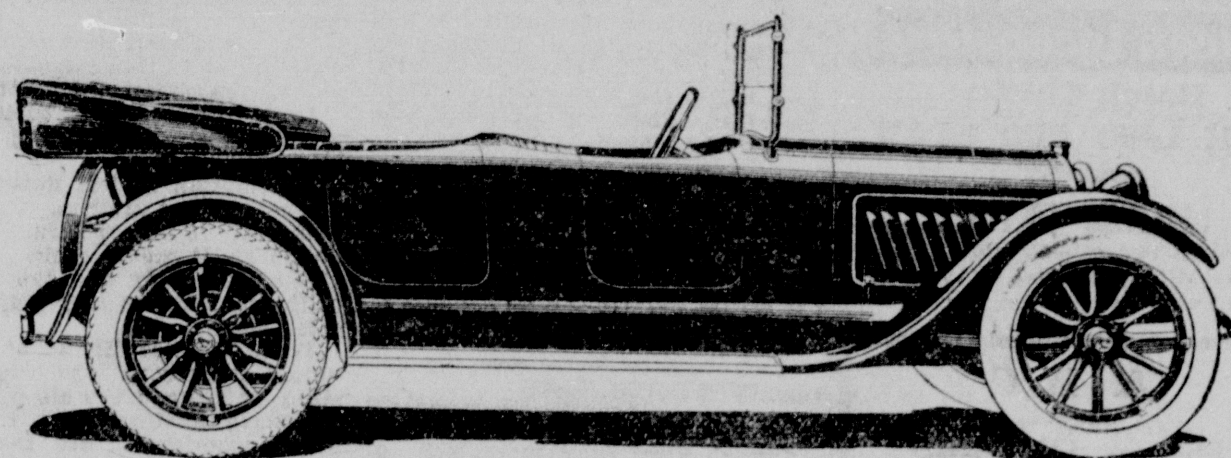
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## STATE TESTS SEED CORN WITH GREAT CARE

County Agent Kendall Tells About Methods Followed at Champaign—Seed Situation one Which Demands Earnest Attention.

(By G. B. Kendall, County Agent.)  
At the conference of farm advisers at Urbana, Dr. Burlison of the crop production department read reports on various samples of seed corn sent in from the different counties of Illinois. Among these were fourteen samples sent in by parties living in Morgan county. These samples tested from 60 to 75 per cent. There is no comfort for us in that report.  
The danger threatening our 1918 corn crop is that the home grown seed corn has not been tested and the good separated from the bad and that seed corn has been shipped into the county in some cases without the purchasers really knowing where the seed was grown and how it was tested. In some cases this corn has been backed by a guarantee that is of doubtful value.  
The state seed corn administrator has been making a strenuous effort

to insure a good stand of corn for the state by getting a supply for those parts where the local supply is of very doubtful value. At present the state administrator can supply through the county seed corn administration a supply of seed corn but it must be ordered soon. If those without seed wait until April 15 or May 1 they may fail to get what they want both in quantity and quality.  
The corn handled by the state administration is carefully tested as follows: When the corn is delivered at the warehouses of the administration, it is received in lots of twenty-five bushels each butted, tipped, shelled and contained in bags holding two and one-half bushels each. Each bag is emptied into another and as the grain runs from one bag into another a handful is taken out of each peck. In twenty-five bushels there will thus be taken one hundred handfuls. These are thoroughly mixed and from what is known as composite sample. From this composite sample are taken two pints. One of these is sent to the College of Agriculture for the official test and the other is retained by the county administrator.  
At the College of Agriculture 100 grains are taken from the sample received and pushed tip downward into

damp sand. The 100 grains are placed in ten rows of ten grains each in a ten inch square. As this work is done in a greenhouse, the conditions are very favorable for perfect germination. At the end of seven days the test is complete and the count is made. In taking this grains are counted so that none are lost. The result of this official test determines what the seller receives and the purchaser pays for the seed sold by the state seed corn administration.

### LEAVE YOUR ORDER FOR YOUR EASTER HAT EARLY IN THE WEEK TO AVOID THE RUSH LATER, AT HER- MAN'S.

#### STATE D. A. R. CONFERENCE PLANNED FOR THIS WEEK.

A communication has been received by the Rev. James Caldwell chapter D. A. R. from Mrs. Bahnsen, state regent, urging that the local chapter send a large delegation to the state conference to be held in Springfield March 25, 26 and 27. It has not been generally understood that the conference is open to all members of the organization in the state but such is the case and they will be welcome at all the exercises and social events included in the program for the three days. Representatives of the local chapter will have rooms at the Leland hotel, and it is expected that a large number of local people will be in attendance at the conference.

At the Monday evening session addresses will be made by Hon. Hugh S. Magill and Adjutant Gen. Jackson. On Tuesday a luncheon will be served in the Lincoln room at the Sangamo clubhouse, following which the visitors will be escorted to Lincoln's tomb and other spots famous in state history. Tuesday evening Gov. and Mrs. Lowden will give a reception at the executive mansion for the conference delegates.

An invitation to inspect, compare and try on the men's hats shown by FRANK BYRNS Hat Store is extended to every man. You don't have to buy.

#### MATT STARR POST NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Ladies and Gentlemen Are Asked to Come to the Court House Monday Evening at 7:30 to Talk About the Monument.

The members of Matt Starr Post, G. A. R., respectfully request all ladies and gentlemen of Jacksonville and vicinity to attend an indignation meeting at the Court House, circuit court room, Monday evening at 7:30. The manner in which the old soldiers have been treated in the matter of the monument is well known to the public and it is fitting that there be a public expression of the opinion of the people. The meeting will not continue late and need not interfere with a previous engagement.

The veterans do not mean to be greedy or unreasonable but do ask people to stand by their promises. It is earnestly desired to have a large meeting and the members of Matt Starr Post respectfully make this request.

J. M. Swales,  
Commander.  
C. E. McDougall,  
Adjutant.

#### GRACE CHURCH

This morning Miss Emma Nourse of Africa, will deliver an address. Miss Nourse is a pleasing speaker with a fascinating story. At the evening hour the chorus will sing Moulder's Oratorio, "From Olivet to Calvary."

Passion Week—March 24-31  
In these tragic days of World War with their National Golgotha of blood and sacrifice, it is meet for us to go with our Saviour to Gethsemane and Calvary and learn the secret of His Passion and victory. To do so with profit let each read prayerfully "His Last Week," a story of Christ's Passion and Resurrection in words of the four Gospels and attend service each evening at 7:30 in the S. S. Auditorium. The preachers and soloists are:

Monday—Rev. J. O. Kirkpatrick; Miss Louise Fletcher.  
Tuesday—Rev. F. L. Fletcher; Mrs. E. L. Hill.  
Wednesday—Rev. F. B. Madden; Miss Rena M. Lazelle.  
Thursday—Dr. F. M. Rule; Mrs. Florence P. Hartmann.  
Friday—Dr. J. R. Harker; Mrs. O. H. Wilder.

#### CONFIRMATION AT SALEM

LUTHERAN CHURCH  
Today Palm Sunday a class of ten young people, after having been duly instructed in the Word of God, will be publicly examined in the chief doctrines of the Christian religion and receive the rite of confirmation. The members of the class are: Camille Winifred Donovan, Alice Lillian Horner, Freda Margaret Lakamp, Louise Marie Stier, Frances Hearietta Wahl, Clarence Dewey Brookhouse, Orville Enmet Gaither, Clarence William Ingram, Walter Henry Carl Kuppler, Anderson Mullens.

The following will be the order of service which will begin at 9:45 a. m.

Hymn 412—Congregation.  
Examination—Class.  
Hymn 409—Congregation.  
Address by the pastor, J. G. Kuppler.  
Class Son.  
Confirmation Act.  
Solo, "My Redeemer and My Lord"—Mrs. Robert L. Stice.  
Prayer and benediction.  
Hymn 408—Congregation.

HOME FROM HOT SPRINGS.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Osborne and Mrs. Eliza Millon have returned to their home in Murrayville after a sojourn of a few weeks at Hot Springs, Ark. They greatly enjoyed the outing and the much needed rest and return greatly refreshed and invigorated.

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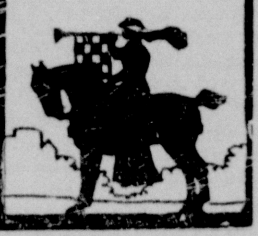
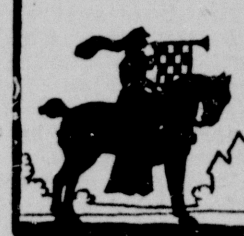
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A public sale of property belonging to the estate of William Nunes was held Saturday at the court house by the executors, John E. Pires and Samuel Nunes, their attorney being J. O. Priest. Jed Cox was the auctioneer and a tract of land and several pieces of city property were sold.

Otis Hoffman purchased 43 1/2 acres of land located between the C. P. & St. L. and the C. & A. railroads and running from Independence avenue north at a price of \$160 an acre.

The livery barn building on East Court street occupied by J. W. Woods was purchased by George Nunes at the sum of \$2,070.

The store room and flat known as 220-222-224 South Mauvaisterre street were purchased by William Ledford at \$910.

The residence property No. 132 Wolcott street, a house of six rooms, was purchased by George Ferreira at \$545. House No. 719 West Morton avenue went to George Nunes at a price of \$450.

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Harry Hall to W. H. Hyatt, lot 119 Lakeview addition to Meredossia, \$125.

Ralph Skidmore to Harry Waters, lots 1 to 12 Chapin's addition to Jacksonville, \$1.

W. A. Brown to Isaiah Whitlock, pt. northwest quarter 26-13-10, \$1.

John Brown, et al. to S. A. D. Whitlock, pt. northwest quarter 26-13-10, \$535.

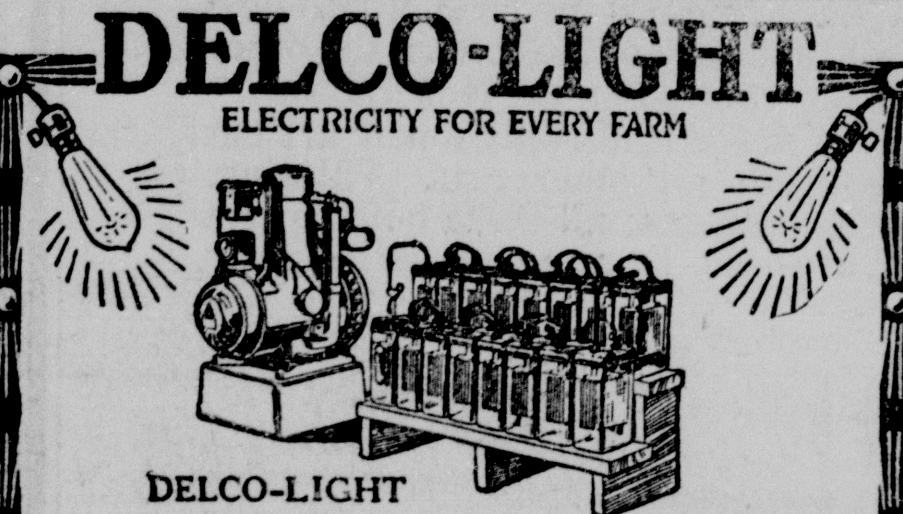
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## CHURCH SERVICES

Westminster Presbyterian church—Edward B. Landis, pastor. The Sunday school will meet at 9:30. Everybody be on time. W. J. Brady is the superintendent. Morning worship at 10:45 and evening worship at 7:30 with sermon by the pastor at both services. Three special services are to be held at the church this coming week on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings with subjects appropriate to the Passion Week. A cordial welcome is extended to all for any and all of the services.

Northminster Presbyterian church—Walter E. Spoonis, minister. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor. The morning subject will be "How to Have a Healthy Church." The evening sermon will be the fourth in the series of Signs of the Times and it will be "How to See Jesus in the War." 1. As a nation we will gather as we sow. 2. How are we to be born again after the war? 3. Will we get greater power to save others? 4. How should we preach Christ at this time? A special invitation to all who are interested in the coming of Christ again. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Ernest Fernandes, superintendent. Junior Endeavor at 3 p. m. Senior Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. The session

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will meet at the church on Monday night at 7:30. The annual congregational meeting and election of officers will be held next Wednesday night. There will be a free supper at 7 on this same night for all members of the church and congregation, and all friends who assisted us in any way in clearing the church of debt are cordially invited to this supper. At this meeting the old notes will be burned and we will sing "Praise God from Whom all Blessings Flow."

First Baptist church, corner State and Church streets, A. A. Todd, pastor.—Bible school 9:30 a. m. Superintendent, Carl Weber. Morning preaching service 10:45 with a song service beginning at 10:30. The service will be an illustrated bottle talk on "The Power of Christ's Blood," special to the Bible school. Junior Union 3:00 p. m. B. Y. P. U. 6:30 u. m. Topic, "Remedies for Intemperance." Evening sermon 7:30. Pastor's theme, "The Way to Zion," or the Highway of Life. Mid-week service Wednesday 7:30 p. m., at which time the pastor will give the fourth of a series of 10 talks on "The Model Prayer." Bible class at 8:30 of the same evening. Adjourned meeting of the advisory board Thursday evening at 7:30. Services at Baptist chapel Sunday 2:30 p. m. and Friday 7:30 p. m. Wm. Boston, superintendent.

Centenary Methodist Episcopal church, Wm. R. Leslie, minister. Sunday school at 9:30, beginning with an orchestra concert. The Loyd Men's Bible class extends an earnest invitation to all men to join this great class which is growing rapidly. Morning worship at 10:45. Palm Sunday sermon by the pastor. Junior League at 2:30, Miss Florence Alger of the Illinois Woman's College, superintendent. Epworth League at 6:30. Topic, "The Art of Living With Others." Leader, R. E. Grossman. Evening worship at 7:30. Address by Miss Emma Nourse, a returned missionary from Africa. This is the annual Thank Offering Service under the auspices of the Women's and Young Women's Foreign Missionary Societies. Special music and other interesting features. Everybody welcome.

Central Christian Church, M. L. Pontius, minister.—Bible school at 9:30 a. m. C. L. DePew, superintendent. Six departments in session each Sunday and teachers and classes for all. Morning worship at 10:45. The theme of the sermon, "Has Christianity Failed?" Evening worship at 7:30. The subject of the sermon will be, "Are We Superstitious?" Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Wehl, Messrs. Boyd and Strasser will sing at each service. Christian Endeavor services at 6:30 p. m. The Senior C. E. will be led by Miss Katie Clarkson, the Intermediate by James Wood and the Junior, by Irene Arter. Pre-Easter services will be held each evening except Saturday at the church at 7:30 o'clock with a sermon by the pastor, Mr. Pontius, and appropriate music. See further announcement of the pre-Easter services elsewhere. A cordial invitation is extended to attend all these services.

Trinity Episcopal church.—Palm Sunday on the Sunday before Easter. Early service 7:30 a. m. Sunday school 9:15 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon 10:45. The services for the week will be as follows: Holy Week—Monday Litany 4:30 p. m. Tuesday, Evening prayer 4:30 p. m. Wednesday evening prayer 7:30. Thursday, Holy Communion 7:30 a. m., and at 10:00 a. m. Good Friday: The Passion service 12 m. to 3:00 p. m. All services in Parish House. J. F. Langton, rector.

State Street Presbyterian Church.—R. B. Wilson pastor. 9:30 Sunday school. T. M. Tomlinson, superintendent. Classes for all. We should get back in our classes now. 10:45 Divine services, theme, "Confessing Christ." Fine audiences have been present for the last weeks but there are still many members who do not come. 6:30 Young People's meeting. Miss Edith Taylor, leader. We want all the young people of the church to attend these meetings. 7:30, preaching. Theme, "The Divine Challenge." Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30. You will be welcome to these services. Good music.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.—Regular services are held in Odd Fellows' Temple, East State street, Sunday at 11 a. m. Subject, "Matter." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Testimonial meeting, Wednesday at 7:45 p. m. The reading room, 507 Ayers bank building, is open each week day from 2:30 to 4:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend the services and to visit the reading room.

Brooklyn M. E. Church.—There will be services both morning and evening.

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ening. Preaching by the pastor, W. W. Theobald, at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The subject of the morning hour will be "Jesus Our King," and at night "Bread for a Hungry World." Special music at both services appropriate for Palm Sunday. Services will be held each night during Passion week except Saturday. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. J. A. Walter, superintendent. A cordial invitation is given to all services.

Salem Evangelical Lutheran Church, East College Street, Rev. J. G. Kuppler, pastor.—Palm Sunday. There will be no Sunday school on this day. Confirmation exercises will be held in the English language beginning promptly at 9:45 a. m. A class of ten young people will receive the rite of confirmation. A cordial invitation to attend this service is extended to all. There will be no evening service.

Second Baptist Church, H. H. DeWitt, pastor. Sunday services—11 a. m., praise service and the Lord's Supper. 7:45 p. m. the pastor will have for his evening subject "The Race for Life," Prov. 14-12. 2:30 p. m. Bible school. Come and we will try to do our part to make these services helpful to you.

Congregational Church.—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Brotherhood Bible class will join with the adult class in Sunday school. Lesson theme, "Christian Philanthropy." Morning worship at 10:45. A Palm Sunday sermon by Mr. Rule. No evening service. Prayer meeting as usual Wednesday evening at 7:30. Topic, "The Way to Victory and Life." Matt. 16:21-28, John 20-28. You are cordially welcome to all services.

Mt. Emory Baptist Church, Enos Larkin Scruggs, pastor. Divine worship with sermon at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning subject, "The Spiritual Value of a Great Enterprise." Evening Topic, "The Bad Results of Sin in the Life." Bible school at 2:30. B. Y. P. U. meeting at 6:30. A large attendance is desired at all of these services. Friends and strangers receive a hearty welcome.

Grace Methodist Episcopal church, F. B. Madden, minister. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Morning worship 10:45 a. m. Address by Miss Emma Nourse, of Africa. Epworth League 6:30 p. m. Subject, "The Art of Living With Others." Leader, Karl Hill. Passion week concert 7:30 p. m. The chorus will sing Maunders oratorio, "From Oliver to Calvary." Public cordially invited.

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## COLLEGE OF MUSIC NOTES

The regular weekly recital of the College of Music took place on Thursday afternoon, March 21. The following program was presented:

Romance ..... Rubens Alma Harmon.  
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In an Alabama Cabin ..... Cadman Helen Schoedsack.  
Bergerette ..... Old French Vera Wardner.  
Etude in C Minor ..... Heller Louis Koehm.  
Tranquillity ..... Foote Edith Kenseil.  
Gigue ..... Godard Evangeline Bishop.

By special request the College of Music orchestra will repeat some of the numbers played at its recent concert, at the Dramatic Club play on Monday evening, March 24th.

Miss Jessie Wall, accompanied by Miss Laila Skinner, sang at the conference of the Methodist ministers and laymen at Grace church on Wednesday evening.

Miss Jessie Wall and Miss Margaret Serlinger sang at the meeting of the South Side Circle Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Lazelle will be the soloist at the State Convention of the D. A. R. at the Sangamo Club of Springfield, March 25th. Miss Lazelle will also be the soloist at the Temple Boy's Choir of Springfield, at the First Methodist church, singing the soprano part in Gounod's cantata entitled "Gallia."

## FUNERAL NOTICE.

Funeral services for George Black will be held from the residence this afternoon at 2 o'clock. More extended services will be held from Woodwreath church at 3 o'clock with burial in Woodwreath cemetery.

Dr. A. E. Obermeyer made a trip from Arcadia to the city yesterday.

## ANNOUNCEMENT.

P. J. Crotty of Woodson hereby announces his candidacy for road district clerk, subject to the will of the voters at the election April 2.

## FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for sheriff on the Democratic ticket, subject to the decision of the primaries to be held Wednesday, September 11, 1918.

W. H. Weatherford.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for sheriff, subject to the primary election.

George L. Stice.

## ANNOUNCEMENT.

I respectfully announce my candidacy for highway commissioner in Road District No. 9, subject to the decision of the voters of said District at the election Tuesday, April 2.

George Wood, Sr.

J. W. McAllister of Woodson hereby announces his candidacy for road District Clerk subject to the will of the voters at the election April 2nd.

## ILLINOIS COLLEGE NOTES

The Chicago Herald of March 19th, contained an article stating that Major Joseph A. Capps, Medical Reserve Corps, in command of the base hospital at Camp Grant, Rockford, Illinois, has been instructed to visit three other camps and submit recommendations relative to the improvement of medical services. He will confer with Major Alfred Friedlander at Camp Sheridan, Chillicothe, Ohio; Major Walter W. Hamburger, at Camp Zachary Taylor, Louisville, Kentucky, and Major Ernest E. Irons, at Camp Custer, Battle Creek, Michigan.

President Rammelkamp attended the meetings of the North Central Association in Chicago Thursday and Friday.

The girls' gymnasium class which has been working under the direction of Miss Elson Barnes will give an exhibition on Tuesday, March 26th, in the gymnasium, at 3:30 p. m. Friends of the College are cordially invited.

Edward Alexander, 16 paymaster in the United States Navy, who has been spending a few days in town, spoke in the College chapel Monday morning. His remarks were listened to with great interest.

Joshua H. Vogel, traveling secretary for the student volunteer movement, also spoke in chapel Monday morning. Mr. Vogel has recently returned from China where he was engaged in Y. M. C. A. work for several years.

Several Illinois College students, including Raye L. Ragan, Ernest Fernandes, E. E. Poole, Ernest Rutherford have spoken at the revival meetings at the Baptist chapel during the past week.

During the week the following captains and sub-captains for the four athletic teams at Illinois College have been elected:

Raymond R. Wallace—Captain. Sub-captains—Leon P. Ferreira, baseball; Clyde E. Land, track; Robert Lenington, tennis; John R. Martin, golf.

Edward M. Tomlinson—Captain. Sub-captains—Percy H. Daigh, baseball; Edward M. Tomlinson, track.

Bryce G. Whisler—Captain. Sub-captains—Bryce G. Whisler, baseball; Charles Nickel, track. Karl B. Hill—Captain.

Sub-captains—Raye L. Ragan, baseball; Robert V. Shoemaker, track; Karl B. Hill, tennis; Felix Farrell, golf.

The devotional services at Academy Hall today will be devoted to continued discussion of the Principles of Christian Democracy. Professor D. O. Clark, of the History Department, will be the leader of the faculty group.

President Rammelkamp has received a card from John W. Corrington, ex-'21, stating that he has arrived safely "overseas."

Mrs. J. A. Walker, and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bull and Mrs. W. Richard were city shoppers from Scottville Saturday.



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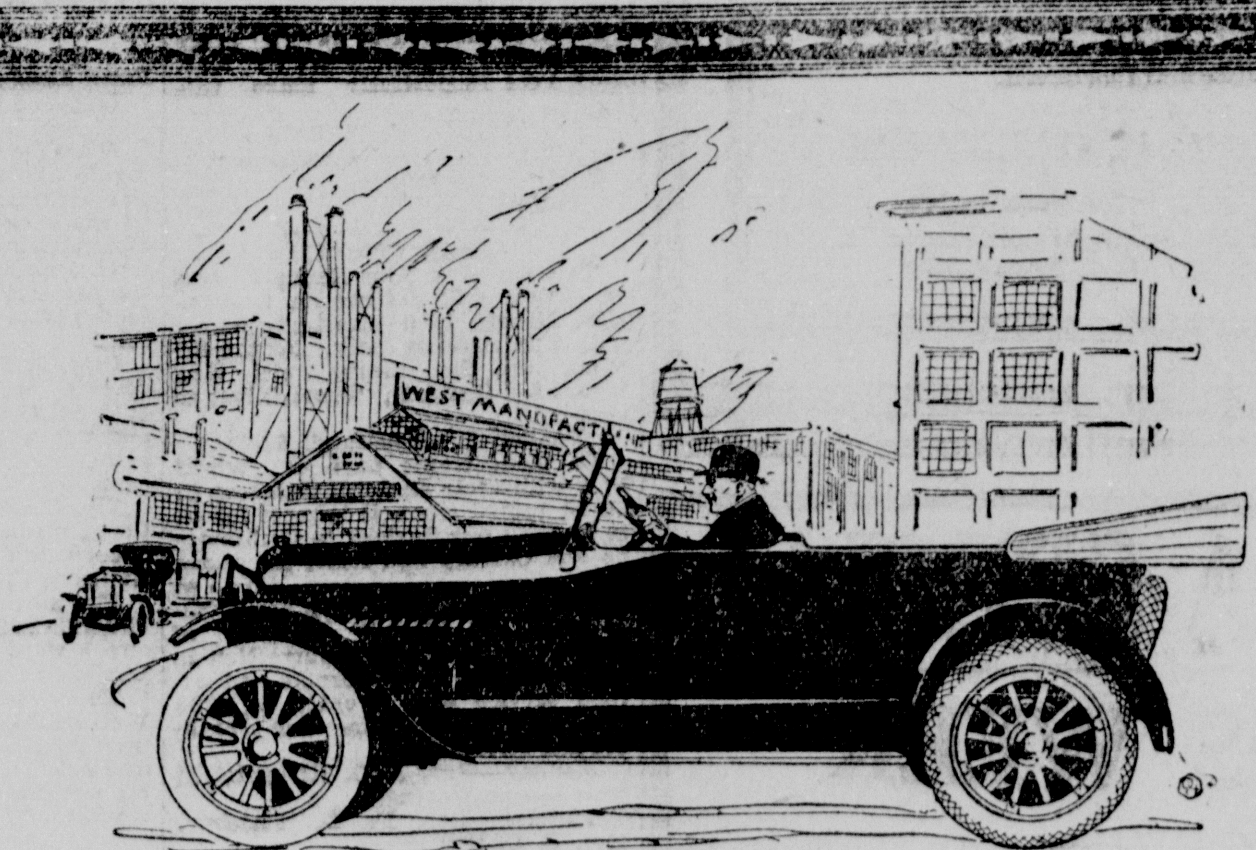
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## BLUFFS SCHOOLS WILL HAVE JUNIOR RED CROSS

Organization Being Formed by the Teachers—Other Interesting News Items from Bluffs and Vicinity.

Bluffs, March 22.—The teachers of the Bluffs school are organizing a Junior Red Cross as an auxiliary of the Local Red Cross Chapter. The High school club is co-operating in the work and any child who pays an annual membership fee of 25 cents is entitled to wear a Red Cross button and become a member. All children whether of school age or not are expected to become members, as a patriotic privilege and parents should see that their little ones are registered.

Names with registration fees will be received by Prof. R. L. Newenham or any of the grade teachers. Membership fees will also be received by the Household Science club committee. Mrs. John Adkins, Mrs. Janie Woodson or Mrs. H. C. Finney, Friday and Saturday, March 29th and 30th have been set aside for the children to collect papers, magazines, catalogs and waste paper to be sold for the benefit of the Junior Red Cross. They will make a house to house canvass of the town and the housewives are expected to co-operate with them and have all waste paper ready at this time. The paper will be taken to the school house where it will be sorted and prepared for shipment. The Juniors are striving to raise \$50 at this time and they should have the encouragement of every patriotic citizen in town.

Miss Roselia Claypool, who has been visiting her parents here has

returned to her home in Springfield. Mrs. Lizzie Gregory of Naples was a business visitor in town Thursday.

Mrs. Clyde Arnold and son, Delbert, of Springfield are guests of the E. A. Shore household this week. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ritchie of Saybrook are guests at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. C. A. Evans and family.

Charles Bonnett and wife were called to Beardstown Thursday by the death of a relative.

Mrs. Margaret Hicks is a visitor in Springfield this week.

Dr. Edward Bowe of Jacksonville was called here Wednesday by the serious illness of Ruth Moore, daughter of Mr. Ralph Moore.

Mrs. Ellen Rice of Chapin spent Tuesday with the J. E. Likes household.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Perry Lankford Wednesday, a son.

Mrs. Anna Garrett was called here from Pittsfield by the death of her sister, Mrs. Rebecca Hale.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Summers have returned from Chicago where they spent last week with relatives.

There will be no school Thursday and Friday of next week on account of the teachers institute in Winchester.

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FRANKLIN BOY WRITES FROM FRANCE

Harold Wells Tells What He Thinks of That Country.

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"The weather makes it pleasant to be outside and you can't see much water here after a rain. It hasn't rained here lately and the ground seems to be thawing out. I am sending you a poem I admire and also a little souvenir to show you I have not forgotten you have a birthday the 2nd of March. Expect to send some pictures soon as I know you want to see how I look 'within' a uniform. I received a box of candy from friends back home recently. It was fine. I can safely brag on the girls as cooks, but I think you still hold the record, mother. Now I am not flatterer. I can prove it by Dwight. I've seen several good looking girls over here but none that could hold a candle to some of the girls back home. Here they nearly all drink, smoke and swear and make themselves seemingly popular (?) among the U. S. Soldiers."

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WOMAN'S COLLEGE NOTES

The Gymnasium exhibition which was held Monday, March 18, was a great success in every way. Owing to the limited space available only a few of the patrons of the school were able to be present. The work done by the Physical training department has been most thorough and Miss Jacoby and her assistants deserve a great deal of credit for the splendid work exhibited.

Interest is now centering in the three one act comedies to be given in the Gymnasium Monday night, March 25th, by the Dramatic club. The students have been working hard on these and will present a most attractive program.

President Barker is in Chicago attending a meeting of the North Central Association.

The Indiana Club had special tables in the dining room on Thursday night. Indiana songs were sung and a general good time enjoyed by all members of the club. It is composed of the students and members of the faculty who come from Indiana.

Rev. Mr. Antrim, District Superintendent of the Springfield District was a visitor at the College on Wednesday.

The College Library is in receipt of a book entitled "Lincoln in Illinois" by Octavia Roberts. This book is the gift of Hon. Andrew Russell of this city. The Library is also in receipt of a gift of eight books from Mrs. H. B. Lusch of Chicago. Mrs. Lusch is a sister of Miss Mothershead, the late Dean of the College, and the books are from Miss Mothershead's library in Chicago.

The class in 'High School chemistry of foods will do its laboratory on Monday mornings, using the Freshmen Chemistry Laboratory.

The Biology Department has been on a number of field trips studying birds. The class went on one trip the early part of the week and twenty one different kinds of birds were noted on this trip.

The Easter recess will be observed on March 29 and 30. These two days being allowed the students for a recess of this kind.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bates of Athens, Illinois have been visiting their daughter, Miss Frances.

The college is indebted to Mr. Frank Strawn for a number of wild shrubs taken from his timber east of the city and used on the College campus to help in a plan of beautifying some portion of the campus.

PASSION WEEK SERVICES. Brooklyn church is planning for services during Passion Week. Rev. W. R. Leslie will preach Monday night. Rev. J. O. Kirkpatrick, Rev. G. T. Wetzel and Dr. Rule will also preach during the week. The series will end with an Easter program. The topic this Sunday night will be "Bread for a Hungry World."

C. L. Pond traveled from Nortonville to the city yesterday.

## ASHLAND WOMAN'S CLUB IN POPULAR MEETING

Meeting Held With Mrs. Edna Stribling — School Children Will Give Operatta—Other News Notes.

Ashland, Ill., March 22.—Mrs. Edna Stribling will entertain the Ashland Woman's club at her home west of town next Monday afternoon: Song—Illinois.

Reading—Miss Lela Ash. 1—Illinois in the Mexican War — Mrs. Betty Way.

2—Legend of Starved Rock—Mrs. Anna Brownback. Music—Piano Player.

Will Give Operatta

The pupils of the seventh and eighth grades will give a patriotic operatta entitled, "America First" at the Lyric theatre, Friday, April 5. The pupils have been trained by Mrs. W. G. Smith of Beardstown, the musical supervisor. The story of the

play deals with the Boy Scout and Campfire Girls activities. Part of the proceeds will go to the Red Cross and the remainder will go to help pay for the new piano which has been purchased for that room.

The latest results of seed corn tests, which the agriculture class has been conducting of the Ashland high school, are as follows:

William Newell—97 per cent. Carl Sinclair—94 per cent. Walter Holmes—98 per cent. Charles Holmes—90 per cent. Harry Edwards—100 per cent. Clarke Dullung—97 per cent.

Every night next week from 7:30 till 8 o'clock will be a night of prayer at the local Christian church. This is being held in the interest of the Man and Millions movement which is being held all over the state.

M. E. Church Entertainment

Clarence W. Oland, violinist, cartoonist and Swiss bell ringer, will give an entertainment at the M. E.

church Tuesday evening, March 28. Admission 25 cents.

Mrs. L. F. Jordan and daughters of Jacksonville are visiting the C. W. Bailey family this week.

NOTICE! Violations of the law prohibiting riding of bicycles on the sidewalks are numerous. As a protection to the public this law will be vigorously enforced. All bicycle riders are hereby warned that they must not use the sidewalks.

J. E. MARTIN, Commissioner Public Health and Safety.

Fred Burch was among the visitors in the city from Franklin Saturday.

James Wilson was a representative of laterberry in the city yesterday.

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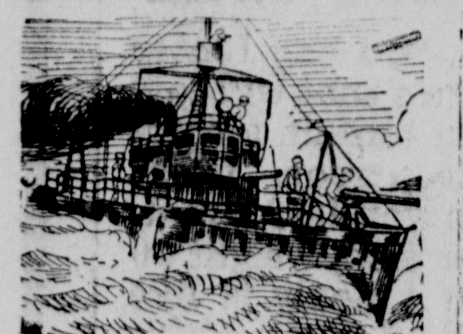
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# HIGH SCHOOL PUPILS PRESENTED PLAY

Fanny and the Servant Problem  
Given by Waverly High School  
Pupils—Union Revival Services  
Well Attended—Other News from  
Waverly.

Waverly, Ill., March 23.—"Fanny and the Servant Problem" was given at the high school auditorium Saturday night under the auspices of the Waverly Young People's union.

The body of C. F. Meacham who died Wednesday in Chicago arrived here Friday and was taken to the First M. E. church where funeral services were held at 2:30 o'clock, the pastor, Rev. F. E. Smith, officiating. Burial was in East cemetery.

The union revival meetings are being largely attended. The high school orchestra is one of the added interests. Several have professed conversion.

Miss Jessie Kennedy has been named by the board of education at Palmyra to teach the unexpired term of Miss Nelle Tongate, who resigned to accept a position at Washington, D. C.

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Jones returned Saturday from Baldwin, where they went to attend the conference missionary meeting.

Mrs. S. S. Smith of Ashland, Kans., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Nelle Bradford for several weeks left Thursday for Delavan to

visit friends before returning home. Mrs. Nelle Stewart returned to her home in Girard after several days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gough.

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## REV. PERCY EPLER'S LAST SERVICE

The Journal is in receipt of a program of Palm Sunday and Easter services which are quite elaborate and promise to be beautiful and impressive. The Easter is to be Mr. Epler's farewell also and while it will be hard to go away from a place so endeared to him and his family he feels it to be the call of duty on account of the health of his children and so he asks that the service be made triumphant.

## MORE RAILROAD THEFTS.

A day or two since the Journal mentioned the trouble a merchant had with the theft of goods enroute from Cincinnati and yesterday three more sufferers from the same trouble were discovered. It was hoped that when the government took over the roads things would be somewhat improved and it is indeed to be hoped they soon will be.

# THE COMMISSION FORM OF GOVERNMENT.

(By W. N. Hairgrove.)  
The Commission Form of Government, as I have shown in former articles, has far from proven effective in the control of Public Utilities corporations in the City of Jacksonville. That under the Commission Form of Government, the city has lost a large part of its public property.

The charges of the Public Utilities Corporations became so burdensome that private citizens instituted a proceeding before the State Commission of Public Utilities to have these charges reduced; The State Board of Public Utilities did reduce the charges in that proceeding by its order, but after the ruling had been had by the State Public Utilities Commissions, the officials of the City of Jacksonville, in a "Peace Meeting" with the officials of the public utilities corporations had the order of the State Commission modified and the rates raised above that ordered originally by the State Commission.

At this "Peace Meeting" the attorney who represented the People of the City of Jacksonville was so displeased by the performance of the city officials collaborating with the officers of the Public Utilities Corporations that he withdrew and would take no part in the "Peace Meeting" and that I understand is also true of Dr. Bowe, who was one of the citizens who had employed the attorney; and in this "Peace Meeting" the rate fixed by the State Commission was abandoned and a new and increased rate agreed on in consideration of the paving of the Street Railway tracks by the corporations and in the further consideration of the increased price of coal—the increased price of coal having been considered before the State Commission in originally fixing the rate, so as I am authoritatively advised, the increased capital required of the Public Utilities Companies for paving in the City of Jacksonville, and the increased price of coal were considered in fact, by the State Commission, in the rate it fixed. The rate reconsidered by the City officials of the City of Jacksonville at the "Peace Meeting" in fixing the present rates; so the corporations had the benefit of that credit twice.

Now, the Public Utilities Corporations in the City of Jacksonville, are asking the third raise of their rates on account of the same thing that they were originally increased by the City officials of the City of Jacksonville after the ruling of the State Commission, and the City of Jacksonville at this time, neither thru its private citizens, nor by its City officials have employed any special counsel to look after the interests of the public, and it is more than probable, in the face of this perfunctory performance on the part of the City officials that the rates to the people of the City of Jacksonville will again be raised, and an additional burden of from Eighteen to Twenty thousand dollars, annually, placed on the people of Jacksonville solely thru the operation of the officials under the Commission Form of Government.

The City Council now claims to have no money with which to employ special counsel, as I am advised—I suppose their claim is true. But where did the money go? Forty thousand dollars and over has gone in excessive salaries, into the pockets of the city officials; If we could have that forty thousand dollars now we could use only a small part of it and yet be represented by the most able, expert lawyers in the State of Illinois. There seems to be a special kindly feeling on the part of the city officials of the City of Jacksonville for the utilities corporations. They have done nothing of their own volition, except to aid and assist those corporations, as against the public, and while they were claiming to be fighting the Public Utilities corporations, at the same time, they were thereby forever conveying title to the public streets to the corporations by means of such pretended fight, and without any valuable consideration to the public.

The city has power to have meters (gas and electric) sealed and tested by a public official for the people of the City of Jacksonville without any cost to the city, except for instruments with which to make the test. The sealer could be paid for his services by the fees from the public utilities, or by others who wished to have meters examined. Private parties requesting meters examined would pay the fee, if the meters were found all right; if they were not found all right then the public utilities corporations would pay the fee. But the city has never done anything under the Commission Form of Government to protect the people from the corporations but have let the people in their helplessness struggle and suffer from the burdens they have thrown upon them.

(When I was city attorney of this city, I drew a City Ordinance, which was passed, for a city sealer of weights and measures, so that the people of the city might receive fair weights and measures for the goods they sold or purchased. It was still born and the public have received no benefit therefrom as no sealer was appointed.)

Why don't the Commission Form of Government officials do something to protect the people? They can do all that they please, regardless of whether people voted for them to or not, and regardless of the disapproval of the public. One trouble with the Commission Form of Government is that it is not a representative government; that all of the power is vested in a general government; that every member is elected at large, the result is, that instead of the people having representatives and servants who serve, they have bosses who do as they please regardless of the wish of the people.

The Commission Form of Government is not an American form of government; it is not a representative government; it is an autocratic government with all power vested in the

general government, and there are no checks or balances in the hands of the public on Boss rule. They do not serve, except to serve their own will and not necessarily the public's interest.

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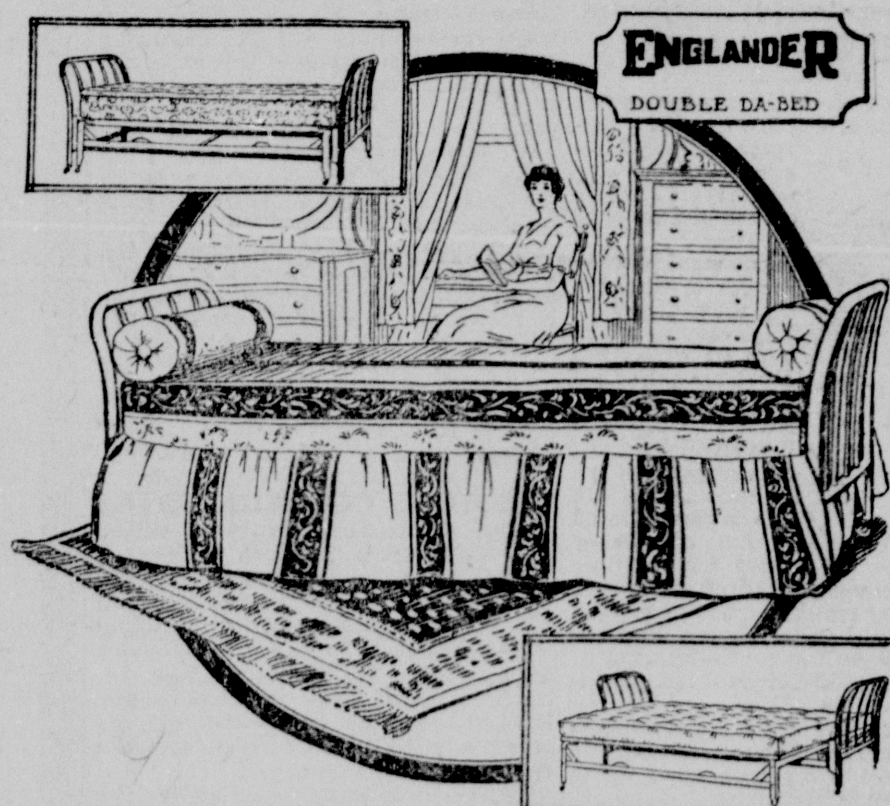
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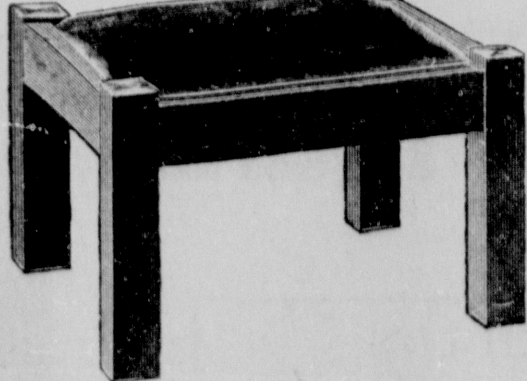
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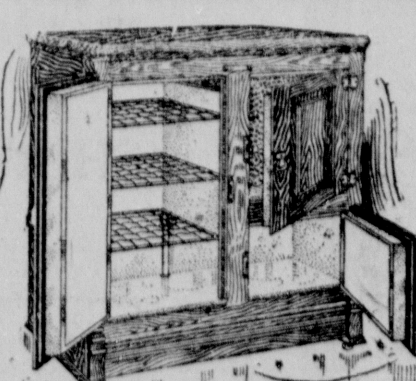
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the north of the number expected. Cattle  
offerings lacked quality. Most of the  
sheep that arrived were consigned direct  
to killers.  
Hogs—Receipts 22,000; Monday 57,000;  
market unsettled 50¢ above yesterday's  
average; bulk \$17.50@17.75; light \$17.50@  
\$17.75; mixed \$16.50@17.00; heavy \$16.50@  
\$17.00; rough \$16.25@16.50; pigs \$16.00@  
\$16.50.  
Cattle—Receipts 6,000; Monday 21,000;  
market weak; native steers \$11.50@12.00;  
stockers and feeders \$10.00@11.00; cows  
and heifers \$7.00@12.00; calves \$10.50@  
\$11.00.  
Sheep—Receipts 8,000; Monday 15,000;  
market strong. Sheep \$11.00@11.50; lambs  
\$14.50@15.00.

**ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK MARKET**  
St. Louis, March 23.—Hogs—Receipts  
5,000; lower; light \$17.50@17.75; pigs \$14.50@  
\$15.00; mixed \$16.50@17.00; heavy \$16.50@  
\$17.00; bulk \$17.00@17.50.  
Cattle—Receipts 1,300; steady; steers  
\$11.50@12.00; light \$10.50@11.00; cows \$9.00@  
\$9.50; calves \$10.50@11.00.  
Sheep—Receipts 500; steady; lambs  
\$14.00@14.50; ewes \$12.50@13.00; wethers  
\$13.00@13.50.

**MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET**  
Minneapolis, March 23.—Corn—No. 3 yel-  
low \$1.10@1.12; No. 2 white \$1.09@1.11.  
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**FOR SALE—Apples.** Bell phone  
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**FOR SALE—12 hens.** Illinois phone  
414. 3-24-1t

**FOR SALE—Barred Rock Eggs; 75c**  
per setting of 15 eggs. Bell phone  
1-5 Alexander. 2-17-2mo.

**FOR SALE—Second hand candy**  
counters. Jacksonville Candy Co.  
3-17-1f.

**FOR SALE—Household furniture,**  
315 N. Fayette St. Ill. phone 50-  
1321. 3-21-6t.

**FOR SALE—35 black locust posts.**  
732 West railroad street. 3-24-6t

**FOR SALE—White enamelled bas-  
inet.** Illinois phone 50-1339. 3-21-6t

**FOR SALE—Buff orphington eggs**  
\$1 a setting. Mrs. M. G. Fernandes  
Bell phone 240. 3-23-3t

**FOR SALE—Timothy hay.** James H.  
Beguel, Murrayville, Ill. Phone F.  
44. 3-19-12t.

**FOR SALE—Black Beauty soy bean**  
seed, \$5.50 per bushel. F. O. B.  
Greenfield, Ill. Ralph Ford. 3-20-10t.

**FOR SALE—Made to order rubber**  
tired surrey and buggy. Cherry's  
Livery. 3-22-6t.

**FOR SALE—Vigorous young straw-  
berry, asparagus, rhubarb plants**  
—delivered. L. N. James. Illinois  
phone 86. 2-27-1f.

**FOR SALE—Early Burt Seed oats.**  
\$1 per bushel. City Elevator, Illi-  
nois phone 8. Bell 176. 3-7-1f.

**FOR SALE—Ohio seed potatoes,**  
\$1.50 and \$1.25 per bushel. Sam  
W. Dunlap. Bell phone 929-11. 3-3-1f.

**FOR SALE—Sixty day oats, one dol-  
lar per bushel.** Towne, Route 5.  
3-3-1mo.

**FOR SALE—Holstein-Jersey heifer**  
calf. Call Ill. phone 994. 3-24-6t

**FOR SALE—White seed oats.** Call  
Ill. phone 1295 or Bell phone  
615-3. 3-24-3t

**FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock**  
eggs for hatching. \$1 for 15.  
Mrs. Cruzan, Jacksonville Nursery.  
Illinois Phone 693. 3-19-1f.

**FOR SALE—Silver Mine and 60 day**  
seed oats, \$1.00 per bushel. Leon-  
ard Day, Ill. phone 747. 3-23-3t.

**FOR SALE—One folding bed and**  
cotton mattress, 3 rockers, 2 din-  
ing chairs and other articles. 1032  
South Main. 3-24-3t

**FOR SALE—Buff Orphington eggs;**  
\$1.00 a setting; \$5.00 per hun-  
dred. Mrs. E. R. Carter, route 7.  
Both phones. 2-17-1mo.

**FOR SALE—Two good heavy draft**  
horses, 818 W. Morton. Bell  
phone 656. 3-19-6t.

**FOR SALE—Strawberry plants, D.**  
S. Taylor. Ill. phone 60-86. 3-5-1f

**FOR SALE—One extra good farm**  
mare, seven years old. One good  
Jersey cow, seven years old.  
Phone 2663, F. G. Burch, Waver-  
ly, Ill., R. R. 1. 3-23-4t

**SPECIAL SALE—Of good sound**  
cooking apples, \$1 per bushel de-  
livered. W. S. Cannon Produce  
Co. 3-22-1f

**FOR SALE—House and lot, 1013 N.**  
Fayette street, cheap if taken at  
once. Apply 3. G. Fernandes, 691  
West Michigan ave. Illinois phone  
735. 3-24-6t

**SEED CORN FOR SALE—Reid's**  
Improved Yellow Dent grown in  
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20 rows to the ear. Tests above  
90 F. L. Hargrove. 3-12-1f

**FOR SALE—Early Ohio seed pota-  
toes.** Call Bell phone 41 or Illi-  
nois phone 1006. 3-2-1f.

**FOR SALE—Barred Rock eggs, 60**  
cents setting of 15. Mrs. Henry  
Welborn. Bell phone 36-3, Alex-  
ander exchange. 3-22-1mo.

**FOR SALE—Plymouth Rock eggs**  
for setting. 75 cents a setting.  
Mrs. Minnie Coultas, Markham. Bell  
phone 943-5. 3-20-6t

**FOR SALE—1000 hedge posts; sev-  
eral hundred good end posts.** J.  
D. Chanoweth, Waverly Illinois. 3-22-1f.

**FOR SALE—Chicks, eggs, from all**  
the popular breeds of pure bred  
poultry. J. C. & A. P. Weber, Ill.  
phone 117. 3-13-1mo

**FOR SALE—Two good driving**  
horses, sound, well bred, suitable  
for lady to drive. Frank's Bak-  
ery. 3-22-3t.

**FOR SALE—Six room cottage, al-  
most new, thoroughly modern, oak**  
wood finish, bargain if taken at  
once. Address "L. P." this office.  
3-22-4t

**FOR SALE—Fresh cows, extra good**  
ones F. V. Correa & Co., Man-  
chester, Ill. 2-21-1f.

**FOR SALE—Good used cars at bar-  
gain prices.** Jacobs Motor Car  
company, 312 East State street.  
Bell 2, Illinois 432. 2-29-1f.

**FOR SALE—Eggs \$3.00 per 15**  
guaranteed from the best three  
pens of Buff orphingtons in Mor-  
gan county. Geo. W. Hamilton  
Ill. phone 50-338. 3-2-1mo.

**FOR SALE—Four big Jacks. These**  
are the kind that make the \$500  
teams. Will sell separately. Ad-  
dress or phone A. T. Steelman,  
Roodhouse, Ill. Bell phone 9411.  
Ill. phone F134. 2-2-1mo

**FOR SALE—Cheap—If taken at**  
once, one pure bred registered  
French draft stallion of the ton  
type, black, sound, extra good  
one. Correa & Co. Manchester, Ill.  
3-16-10t

**FOR SALE—Lot west end just out**  
city limits. Will sell on reason-  
able time payments, or rent to  
responsible party for that war  
time garden. Martha A. Slaten, 909  
Grant, Carthage, Missouri. 3-10-1f.

## MISCELLANEOUS

**CINDERS** can be had free of charge  
at School for the Blind. 3-22-6t.

**MONEY TO LOAN ALWAYS—The**  
Johnson Agency. 3-1-1f.

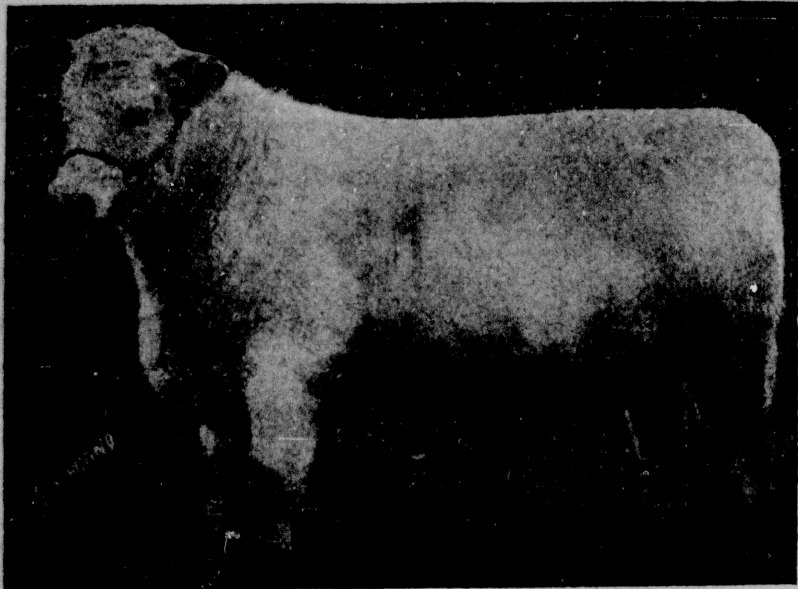
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(Photo Taken at 12 Months)

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Ten and a half acres just at the edge of the city, fine location and not far from pavement. There is six room house, barn for eight horses, 600 bushels of corn, twenty tons of hay and space for vehicles, implements etc. Abundance of fruit. This is for sale or exchange for city property. Immediate possession.

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One of the very best bargains in the city in the second ward, eight room house, modern and well arranged and interior finish is most pleasing. Fine large lot, barn, garage, chicken house and lot and garden. Variety of fruit. This is a bargain at \$4,800.00 for immediate possession.

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## MAVERICKS

There are no days like the old days  
We hear the poets sing,  
Days of happy childhood  
When we made the welkin ring.

But it was not with shouts of joy  
That we broke the still night air,  
As father plied the strap to us  
While we lay across a chair.

Senator Sherman says he prefers  
tender chicken and we are wonder-  
ing what the Senator means.

## WILL REMOVE STAFF.

Bread is the staff of life but if  
the price of wheat is raised to \$2.50  
per bushel it is going to remove the  
staff from the reach of most people.

Many of us were laboring under  
the delusion last fall that we were  
voting for a monument for the  
soldiers of the civil war.

## MAY CAUSE DISFIGURATION.

"May push Liberty bonds in Twenty-  
four languages," says the Chicago Tri-  
bune.

Perhaps if the water department  
would pay the light department for  
the power furnished to pump water  
it might be possible to buy enough  
coal to run the street lights later.

The price of whiskey is going to  
be raised to twenty five cents a drink  
in Chicago. They have nothing on  
us however, as it has been that price  
in Jacksonville for some time.

The editor of the Carlville Demo-  
crat is being sued for \$50,000. If  
we ever found an editor worth that  
much we would be almost tempted to  
sue him or use a black jack.

As an evidence of appreciation of  
the service rendered the government  
by the newspapers in the way of  
free advertising for Liberty Bonds,  
thrift stamps, war certificates and  
divers other government activities  
the postoffice department is prepar-  
ing to raise postal rates on news-  
papers again.

## WHO BELIEVES THIS ONE?

A Chicago real estate dealer is su-  
ing a banker from Waycross, Ga., on  
the charge of working a bunko game  
on him. We refuse to believe that  
anybody from Georgia can put it one  
over on a Chicago real estate deal-  
er.

We learn that Minneapolis may  
get the Willard-Fulton fight but we  
don't know what they want with it.

## A FINE RECIPE.

Mrs. Abigail Hall of Aurora cele-  
brated her 100th birthday last week  
by knitting for the Red Cross.  
Speaking of her centennial Mrs. Hall  
said, "I have reached the age of 100  
years because I have lived in peace  
with my neighbors and minded my  
own business." What a fine recipe  
that is for every person to follow  
even tho it did not give to one that  
many years of life.

## Whatever That May Be.

Despatches tell us that the inmates  
of the insane hospitals are going to  
help celebrate the Centennial with  
historic pageants. So the Peoria  
Journal headlined the story, "Many  
inmates of State Institutions Have  
Historic Ability."

In connection with the campaign  
to stimulate the raising of poultry  
throughout the country the department  
of agriculture has sent out from  
Washington a story that is being  
published in all the papers to the  
effect that early hatched chicks are  
the best. Evidently the man who  
wrote the article held an interview  
with several hens on the subject.  
However, the information contained  
is what everybody who ever had  
anything to do with chickens knows.  
Even the hens, themselves, know it  
for they begin to set in the latter  
part of February and the first of  
March. It is such stories as this and  
others about other things that causes  
the "broad smile" worn by people  
in the middle west that Senator  
Sherman referred to recently in a  
speech in the United States senate.

**THREE ONE-ACT COMEDIES**  
by I. W. C. Dramatic Club,  
Monday, March 25, 8:15 p. m.,  
in New Gymnasium — "Miss  
Civilization," in which Ethel  
Barrymore starred, "Mrs. Pat  
and the Law," a bit of Irish-  
American life, and "Indian  
Summer," from the French.

These promise a most inter-  
esting evening. Admission 25  
and 50 cents. Tickets on sale  
at Brown's music store.

## CONSERVATORY NOTES

Mrs. Wilson sang a group of Schu-  
bert songs for her class in Music  
Appreciation on Thursday.

Robert Shoemaker will sing The  
Palms at the Grace M. E. church to-  
day.

Phi Omega open meeting will be  
held on April 16.

The advanced students' recital of  
Thursday was very well attended  
and program was very successful.

Ruth Armstrong will sing a solo  
at the Westminster Sunday school  
today.

Willard Wesner played some  
organ solos at the Whipple Academy  
Declamatory contest Friday even-  
ing.

Mr. Munger was called to his  
home Thursday evening on account  
of the death of his father, he will  
return in a few days.

## SAY

## DO YOU KNOW

That all taxes not paid by  
March 10th are delinquent, and  
may be advertised any time after  
April 1st? So reads the  
revenue law of the State of Illi-  
nois.

GRANT GRAFF,  
Sheriff and Ex-officio Collector

## ARRIVALS FROM NEARBY

## POINTS SATURDAY

East of City—Thomas Boyd, J. N.  
Bennett.

Northeast of City—James Baker,  
Frank Wingler, Edward Armstrong,  
Ed O. Green, William C. Cleary.

Southeast of City—W. A. Reed,  
Lester Reed, R. Y. Gibson, R. S.  
Wood.

Woodson—John Shelton, William  
Mortimer, Thomas Burns, C. C.  
Self, J. W. McAllister, William  
Rook, George Newman, P. J. Crotty,  
Richard Butler, Jesse Butler.

Merritt—Edward Morris, Edward  
Chrisman.

Alexander—George Wackerle, J.  
B. Corrington and daughters, John  
Snyder, C. M. Strawn and wife.

Pisgah—Albert Wood and wife,  
Robert Hogland, Luther Crawford,

A. A. Curry, Oliver Baker and wife,  
Frank Wigginst, Elmer Sample,

Henry Smith, W. P. Conlee, Mrs.  
George Stubblefield.

Sinclair—Arthur Swain, George  
Swain, George Wheeler, N. T. Fox,  
J. C. Swain, Thomas Fitzgerald,  
George Waggoner, E. E. Hart, Rich-  
ard Robinson.

Literberry—W. H. Lamkuehle,  
W. Martin, F. C. Dinwiddle and  
wife, Andrew Johnson, Willard  
Young.

Franklin—H. A. Wright, Joseph  
Anderson, Newton Clayton, Doc  
Fayem, J. C. Dowell.

Buckhorn—Herman Baumaister,  
Edward German, Jerry Flynn and  
wife.

Clemens—Henry Rees, John  
Flynn.

Antioch—Scott B. Green.

Point—James M. Watson, Charles  
Smith, George Richardson, J. J.  
Vosey, Henry Richardson, William  
Richardson, Godfrey Tendick.

West of City—Harry Ktner, John  
Stewart.

Asbury—Carl Hembrough, Charles  
Taylor, Frank Hembrough, Edward  
Reynolds.

Murrayville—Thomas Doyle, Alex  
Story.

Arnold—Charles Kitterman, Mrs.  
A. D. Arnold, Mrs. Merve Ator, Mar-  
cus Hulett, J. W. Arnold and wife,

Robert Hamilton, Ed Tindall and  
wife, Edward Corrington, George  
Holly and wife, John Holly and wife.

Joy Prairie—Samuel Challiner,  
Durbin—Samuel Darley.

Strawn's Crossin—Henry Strawn  
and wife, Frank Green and wife, Ed-  
gar Cully and wife, Howard Cully.

Arcadia—A. E. Daniels, J. J.  
Clark, Walter Houston and wife,  
John Kennedy.

Roodhouse—Rev. Anell Conlee,  
Lynnville—Charles Potter, Charles  
Gibbs and wife, Henry Coultas,

W. E. Rawlings, Wiley Todd, Wil-  
liam Fearneyhough, Walter Fear-  
neyhough.

Joy Prairie—John Hadden.

North of City—James Martin,  
Charles Black, Abe Reid, Charles  
Anderson.

Savage—Claude Servoss, John  
Phillips, John Laurie, Jed Cox and  
wife, William Phillips and wife.

Northwest of City—C. L. Reid,

Edward Huston and wife.

Markham—Louis Perbix, Denby

Killiam, Philip Clary, Fred Ranson

West of City—Mike Clary and  
wife, Al Leach, Thomas Graves,

Orleans—A. O. Harris, James  
DeBuns, Lloyd Cox, Clark Steven-  
son and wife, Ernest Wallis.

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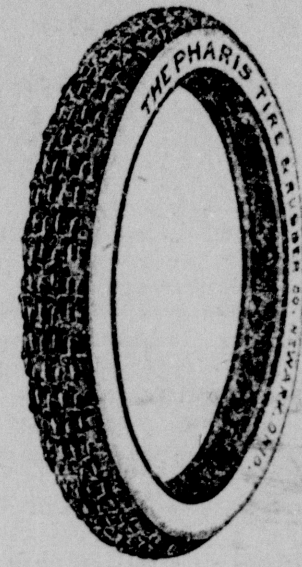
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## CONSUMPTION OF WHEAT MUST BE CUT 50 PER CENT

### Food Administration Orders Further Reduction

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Further reduction in the consumption of wheat was asked of the public tonight by the food administration that the scant supplies available before the next harvest may be stretched to meet the needs of the army, domestic consumers and the allies.

Every American is requested to cut all rations of wheat by fifty per cent which would reduce the total nominal consumption of 42,000,000 bushels a month to 21,000,000. That gives a ration of not more than 1 1/2 pounds of wheat products weekly for each person. Flour sales will be cut to one eighth of a barrel for a

town customer and one quarter of a barrel for any country customer that to as great a number as possible.

The wheat contents of baker's bread will be reduced to 75 per cent on April 14, which increases by five per cent the amount of substitutes that must be used.

#### Statement Issued

The food administration's statement follows:

"If we are to furnish the allies with the necessary proportion of wheat to maintain their war bread from now until the next harvest, we must reduce our monthly consumption to 21,000,000 bushels a month as against our normal consumption of about 42,000,000 bushels or fifty per cent of our normal consumption. Reserving a margin for distribution to the army and for special cases, leaves for general consumption approximately 1 1/2 pounds of wheat products weekly per person. Many of our consumers are dependent on baker's bread. Such bread must be durable and therefore requires a larger proportion of wheat products than cereal breads. Our army and navy require a full allowance. The well-to-do in our population can make greater sacrifices in the consumption of wheat products than can the poor. In addition, our population in the agricultural districts where the other cereals are abundant, are more

skilled in the preparation of breads from these other cereals than the crowded city and industrial populations. With improved transportation conditions we now have available a surplus of potatoes. We also have in the spring months a surplus of milk, and we have ample corn and oats for human consumption. The drain on rye and barley as substitutes has already greatly exhausted the supply of these grains."

### NEW AUTO AGENCY FOR JACKSONVILLE

Homer Ranson Will Represent Well Known Springfield Company Here—Sales Room Opened at 314 E. State Street.

Announcement has just been made and appears elsewhere in this paper of the opening of a new automobile agency in Jacksonville. The room at 314 East State street has been leased by the R. Haas Electric and Manufacturing company of Springfield and their local manager is Homer L. Ranson. This well known firm has the agency for Reo, Franklin and Winton cars and Milburn Electrics and Reo trucks.

With such a splendid line of pleasure and service cars, it goes without saying that Jacksonville and Morgan county people will be vastly interested in this new local agency. The company conducts a very extensive business in Springfield and this branch department in Jacksonville will be conducted on the same high class lines that marks the management of the home concern.

All of the cars handled are of well known and time tried makes, and Mr. Ranson has the opportunity of offering people here some of the best cars that the automobile world knows. The East State street room secured is in the Odd Fellows building and is spacious and well lighted. Models of the cars are already on the floor and the people of this vicinity whether or not they expect to be early purchasers of cars are invited to call and inspect them.

Mr. Ranson, who is a son of the late Charles W. Ranson, is one of the well known young men of this county. He recently leased his farm located south of Jacksonville, purchased a home on Pine street and has entered the ranks of Jacksonville business men. He is a young man of the highest character and has already displayed more than usual ability in the management of his affairs. The Haas company is fortunate in securing his services and in turn Mr. Ranson is to be congratulated on making a connection with a firm so well established and representing cars of such known worth.

### AMERICAN PATROL CAPTURES GERMAN

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, March 23.—By The Associated Press.—A patrol of four Americans early this morning crawled nearly a mile, approached a German listening post from the rear and jumped on the German there, throttling him before he had a chance to make an outcry. They returned to their line as quietly as they went, bringing their prisoner with them. He was put thru an examination by the intelligence officers.

### AMERICAN GUNS RETALIATE HEAVILY

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, March 23.—By The Associated Press.—The American guns retaliate heavily against the Germans who again last night dropped more than 600 gas shells into a certain town within the American lines. There was no wind and the gas remained for hours. The American artillery work was very accurate.

#### PASSED BY HOUSE.

Washington, March 23.—Senate bills to reduce the course of instruction at Annapolis from four to three years and to fix the age limit of candidates for admission to between 16 and 21 years were passed by the house today.

#### NATIONAL BAKERS DAY

Chicago, March 23.—April 6th was designated as national bakers' day by a conference of more than 200 bakers from every part of the country at their closing session today.

#### PROBE DENVER MARKET

Kansas City, March 23.—Inquiry into the conditions on the Denver market occupied the greater part of today's session of the federal trade commission's investigation of the meat packing industry of the southwest.

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### FIRST DAYLIGHT AIR RAID ON CITY OF PARIS

(Continued from Page 1.)

battle line above Paris such as would permit of bringing up guns to within what has been previously regarded as the extreme range of heavy pieces.

Unless the Germans have some new invention no such range as sixty miles is conceivable. The most powerful guns in action heretofore have been able to hurl their projectiles only 20 miles or thereabouts.

The calibre of the shells reaching Paris, 240 millimetres is equivalent to about 9 1/2 inches. The heavy

German siege pieces fire 17 inch shells.

The greatest long range American gun yet developed is the 16 inch rifle which at the greatest possible elevation, it is estimated, would throw a shell about 19 miles.

Evidently, it was said the German artillery has developed some new world-surprising weapon, altho it was thought possible they might be using some sort of aerial torpedo.

After the aerial battle most of those who had taken refuge in cellars hearing no sound after half an hour's stay, came out and remained in the streets about their doors wondering at the prolongation of the raid, which generally do not exceed three hours. School children were march-

ed to shelters which had previously been allotted them. Many restaurants were closed but large stores, which had just finished arranging their windows lowered their shutters and sent their employees into the cellars.

Paris wore an aspect recalling the early days of the war in 1914. Telephone girls remained at their posts, very few taking advantage of the administration's permission to seek refuge if they wished. Tramways and auto busses stopped on the streets and the conductors and ticket collectors sought the nearest shelter. The subway trains ceased running and the tubes were used by pedestrians to reach home on foot. The police were placed at each station to

prevent a repetition of the recent panic and prevented people from assembling around the entrances. Nine hours thus passed and then Paris learned that it was not being raided but bombarded.

#### NECK IS BROKEN

Burlington, Ia., March 23.—Fred C. Beckford, aged 25, a cook, was instantly killed this afternoon when his neck was broken as the result of an automobile, which he was driving, overturning. His name is F. N. C. Beckford of Chicago.

Washington, March 23.—Thirty five new employment offices were opened in nine states today by the United States employment service.

# Easter Suit Sale--

## An Event that Affords Economical Women Great Savings

\$25, \$30 and \$35 Values

\$19.75

Offered at a time when the demand for Easter Suits

is at its height at a price that should attract hundreds

of women tomorrow

Frankly, we are out for the largest suit business we have ever done in any Spring season, and we are offering extraordinary values such as these in order to accomplish our purpose. You are not asked to pin your faith absolutely on the statements we make in the newspaper concerning these suits, but come to our store and see with your own eyes these Suits exactly as described hanging on our racks, for

YOU OWE IT TO YOURSELF BEFORE PAYING \$25 TO \$30 SOMEWHERE ELSE FOR YOUR EASTER SUIT TO COME HERE AND SEE THESE AT

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SUITS FOR WOMEN, MISSES, JUNIORS AND STOUTS AT \$19.75

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## COATS

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At a Price that will Further Strengthen Our Reputation as the Biggest Value-Giving Store in the City for Every Woman Who Wants an Easter Coat

We are specializing this season on unusually good coats at \$15. We believe we show more coats—in more different styles at this price than be seen anywhere else and the values are in a class by themselves.

Materials Include Wool Velours, Delhi Cloth, Burellas, Poplins, Serges and Fancy Mixtures

Made up in smart snappy styles, suitable for every type; jaunty military coats, pleated styles, high waisted effects, as well as many plain models, suitable for large women (up to 54 bust)—in all shades at \$15.00  
Other Coats at \$19.95, \$25, \$29.50, \$35

### A TIMELY EASTER SALE OF \$15.00, \$18.00 AND \$20.00 BEAUTIFUL NEW

## DRESSES

\$10

In scores of the Loveliest New Spring Models—All Copies of Dresses Worth Many Times Their Price; Women's, Misses' and Juniors Sizes, at

What woman can afford to miss a chance like this to buy a beautiful high-grade Easter Dress that was made to sell for almost double its price?

Choice of Lovely Taffetas, Satins, Crepe de Chines, Serges and Georgette Combinations

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Other Special Values at \$12.95, \$15.00, \$19.95 and \$25

### SALE OF EASTER HATS

Small and large hats of all kinds, including Watteau Sailors, Mushrooms, Turbans and Pokes; in Crepe, Straw and Lisere, etc. All colors and black. Tailored and Dress Hats for Matrons and Misses at \$2.98

### NEW SPRING SKIRTS

Striped silks, plaid velours, plain satins, also serge and poplin skirts in hosts of new attractive colorings. Specially priced at \$4.98

\$2 Silk Stripe Waists 98c

\$3.50 Crepe de Chine Waists \$1.98

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Our Used Furniture is refinished and made to look like new. We do not buy or sell "Junk".  
Used Refinished Dressers \$7.50  
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We can furnish a room or a house with refinished furniture that looks like new for half the price of new.  
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## Strive To Have Healthy Skin



Next time you are in a gathering of women note the different conditions apparent in complexion. You will see some filled with blackheads, some dry and rough, some smooth and glossy, some smeared with rouge, some streaked with heavy metallic powders and once in a while you will see one that is a demonstration of intelligence from every point of view. The color is rosy, the skin is clear and smooth, the pores are small and open, the powder does not show on the firm vigorous skin. Every woman can have a good complexion if she will only use a little discretion. If you would acquire real beauty, the beauty of perfect health, you must replenish your worn-out nerves with leithin. Nature's own nerve restorer, and put into your blood the invigorating iron which Nature intended it to have for health. In most of the modern foods these and other vitalizing elements have been largely eliminated. Yet to be healthy and beautiful the system must have them. They are found in Bio-feren, not only in proper proportions to restore weakened vitality but in such form as the system can best assimilate them. A treatment of leithin and iron peptonate as combined in Bio-feren increases the appetite, aids nutrition and invigorates the patient. And Bio-feren in its pellet form is easy and palatable to take—no liquid

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Your feet will be dressed properly as to style, comfort and service if they are clothed from our splendid showing of spring footwear styles.

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See a partial showing of our offerings in our windows; they are an attractive bunch. They will please you immensely.

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### NEW TIME CARD ON CHICAGO & ALTON

Early Morning Train from Chicago and Noon Service North Abolished—Hummer Goes Earlier—Other Changes.

A new time card will go into effect on the Chicago & Alton today. The most important changes affecting Jacksonville are the cancelling of Chicago-Kansas City mail train which has been arriving here at 5:23 a. m. and also the cancellation of train No. 46 which has been run from Roodhouse to Bloomington, connecting with the Alton limited. This train, however, will be routed Jacksonville at 12:55 p. m.

There will be no change of time in the 6:45 a. m. train to St. Louis and No. 15 going south will leave at 9:45 as under the previous card. This train, however, will be routed to Kansas City instead of St. Louis but will make St. Louis connection at Roodhouse.

Train No. 17 will leave Jacksonville at 3 p. m. instead of 4 p. m. as under the past schedule. This train will connect with train No. 33 at Roodhouse for St. Louis and intermediate stations. It will run every day except Sunday.

The 8:45 p. m. train from the north will reach Jacksonville without change of time.

No. 10 northbound Hummer, is to leave Kansas City at 5:05 p. m. instead of 6 p. m., but will make several additional stops and will pass thru Jacksonville at 1:32 a. m. instead of 1:52 a. m. The time for arrival in Chicago is 7:30 a. m. as under the old card.

Train No. 70 will be operated from Roodhouse to Chicago as at present and will reach Jacksonville at 6:05 a. m.

The noon train from St. Louis will reach Jacksonville at 11:25 a. m. as heretofore.

The afternoon train from Kansas City will reach Jacksonville at 4:55 instead of 4:20 and the night train from St. Louis has been changed from 8:35 to 8:55. In the past this train has left St. Louis at 5 o'clock and under the present card the leaving time from St. Louis will be 5:20.

### Your style hats awaits you at FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store.

#### FIRE SATURDAY MORNING

Fire which probably was of incendiary origin badly damaged the property at 540 North Sandy street at 3:30 o'clock Saturday morning. The property is owned by R. N. Ferreira and was occupied until recently by Jack Wright. It was vacant at the time of the fire. The loss is fully covered by insurance.

At 11:30 o'clock Saturday morning the department was called to the residence of Walter L. Simpson, 867 North Church street where sparks from a chimney had set fire to the roof. The blaze was extinguished without much damage.

#### BETTER CROPS.

You will have better and more certain crops if potato seed and oats are treated with formaldehyde. Gilbert's Pharmacy.

#### IS DEAD IN CHICAGO

Judge T. B. Orear received a telegram Saturday morning telling of the death of F. C. Meacham at his home in Chicago. Mr. Meacham was a member of the Illinois Vicksburg Monument commission and had served with Judge Orear on the board since its organization. He was a man of fine attainments and highly regarded by all who knew him.

### SPECIAL SERVICES AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Pastor Rev. M. L. Pontius Prepares Series of Pre-Easter Addresses.

Announcement has been made of a series of pre-Easter services to be held at Central Christian church beginning today. There will be services each evening except Saturday at 7:30 o'clock and all members and friends of the church are urged to attend. There will be special music and there will be inspirational services of a special appropriateness in preparation for Easter. The special sermon topics announced by Rev. M. L. Pontius for this week and for Easter Sunday are as follows:

Sunday evening, March 24th, "Are We Superstitious?"

Monday evening, March 25th, "The Atheist, or the Man Who Says, There is No God."

Tuesday evening, March 26th, "The Agnostic, or the Man Who Says, I Doubt It."

Wednesday evening, March 27th, "The Christian, or the Man Who Says, I Believe."

Thursday evening, March 28th, "The Cry of the World's Heart."

Friday evening, March 29th, "The Meaning of the Cross."

Sunday morning, March 31st, "The Resurrection and Immortality."

Sunday evening, March 31st, "The Cross, the Tomb and the Crown," followed by special Easter musical program by quartette.

### NEW EASTER MILLINERY WE ARE RECEIVING NEW MILLINERY EVERY DAY. PLACE YOUR ORDER EARLY FOR YOUR EASTER HAT. H. J. & L. M. SMITH

#### INJUNCTION DISSOLVED

BY JUDGE BURTON

Recently Mrs. Daisy Headen brought suit for divorce in the circuit court here from her husband, Thomas Headen, and prayed an injunction to have the special master in chancery from paying over to her husband certain funds accruing from the sale of the Headen lands. This injunction was issued by Master in Chancery H. W. English and yesterday a hearing was held before Judge Burton in Springfield. Owen P. and P. P. Thompson appeared on behalf of Mr. Headen and secured an order dissolving the injunction on the ground that the court is without jurisdiction, since both Mr. and Mrs. Headen are said to be residents of St. Louis, Mo.

When you buy garden seed you want the best—that means Brady Bros. Also garden tools, poultry netting, incubators and brood coops.

#### EXECUTIVE BOARD WILL MEET WEDNESDAY.

The executive board of the Morgan County Federation of Women's clubs will meet in regular session at the Public Library Wednesday March 27. The morning session will open at 10:30 o'clock and will be devoted to routine business.

At the afternoon session Rev. Myron L. Pontius will tell of his experiences at the army cantonments in Texas and also will talk on the third Liberty Loan.

Miss Lydia M. Barrette, librarian will talk on the Library war service and urge the donation of books for libraries in army camps. A big drive is now being made for this purpose and the Federation of Women's clubs purpose to have it extended throughout the entire county.

#### KNIGHT TEMPLAR

EASTERN SERVICE Hospitalier Commandery, Knights Templar is to hear the Easter sermon next Sunday in State Street Presbyterian church with sermon by Rev. R. B. Wilson.

Plenty of oysters at Star Lunch Room.

### CHAPIN PEOPLE GAVE VERY FINE PROGRAM

Indoor Chautauqua for Benefit of Red Cross Drew Large Audience—Program Had Great Merit.

Chapin, March 23.—The Indoor Chautauqua given at the Anuse-U theater Friday evening, March 22, for the benefit of the Red Cross was a grand success.

Alfred Brockhouse acted as stage manager, and each company was well assigned and received with much applause. As the usual occurrence at chautauquas some on the schedule fail to arrive for different reasons. However, there was only one, that being the "Kittie's Band" which was to have been the first number on the evening's program. But fortunately this was supplied by:

(1) "Victor Herbert's Symphony Orchestra and John McCormick Jr." N. Nan Campbell, The Misses Taylor, Isabelle Fox, Walter Williams, Monte Funk, Austin Moody, George Antroub, Harvey Thompson and Romandel Fountain.

(2) Patriotic Lecture, by R. R. Langley, P. H. D. from London University—Prof. Harney.

(3) "Boston Quartette," Maud Powell, Marjorie Henrietta Brown, Madam Schuman Heink, Caruso—Isabelle Fox, Mrs. J. E. Herbert, Lucille Fox, Norman Campbell.

Reading, by Margaret Steinworth—Allen Omer with music, Margaret Egan, Tableaus—Walter Williams, Hermine Fallbusch, Dorothy Eilers, George Antroub, Marguerite Vortman, Helen Omer, Eugene Clark.

(5) "Dramatic Co.," "Fun in a Photograph Gallery"—Mr. J. E. Herbert, Walter Williams, Alden Allen, Edith Fox, Dean Antroub, Mrs. J. Z. Fox, Donald Roberts, Mary Black, Norene Simpson, Nina Bond, Barbara Smith, Cornelia Nash, Dorothy Nash.

(6) "Dixie Jubilee Singers," presented by Mr. Wilson—Monte Funk, Singers—Mrs. Dr. Eiler, Mrs. Monte Funk, Mrs. H. O. Smith, Mrs. Charles Nergenah, Mrs. J. F. Burnham, Messrs. Albert Neineheiser, John Eiler, Frank Callaway, Edwin Eckoff, Henry Perbix, Verne Smith.

J. Z. Fox directed the Jubilee Singers and orchestra, and Miss Margaret Egan and Mrs. J. Z. Fox accompanied. Between the last two numbers Verla Baker played some piano solos, and Arthur Perbix played some violin numbers. The program was well rendered and showed the talent and ability of the Chapin people—also their enthusiasm for doing all they can for the Red Cross. The proceeds were about seventy dollars. The committee for the arrangement of the indoor chautauqua taken from the Household Science club was Mrs. L. Hadaway, chairman, Mrs. R. D. Omer, Mrs. Howard Tucker, Mrs. George Antroub, From the Woman's club Mrs. J. Z. Fox, chairman, Mrs. J. E. Herbert, Mrs. Phoebe Scott and Mrs. Ada Funk.

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ANOTHER STOCK GIRL NOT UNDER 16 YEARS TO APPLY AT ONCE AT HERMAN'S.

#### GOOD WORK BY THE LOCAL RED CROSS

Again the Jacksonville Red Cross workers have come to the front and covered themselves with glory. The allotment was 200 irrigation pads and they were all made and shipped on time and Miss Carter and her workers have good reason to be pleased with what they have accomplished.

The good work will go on for there is plenty of work for all who are willing to lend a hand and Miss Carter will confer with any who are willing to aid in the good cause.

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#### RESERVE THURSDAY, APRIL 3

Plans are being perfected for the giving of a beautiful benefit ball for Trinity church. This will be the event of the winter, which so far has been a very quiet one. Friends of Trinity will have the rare opportunity of enjoying a beautiful spectacle. Do not forget to reserve April 3 on your social calendar.

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#### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the neighbors and friends for their kindness and sympathy shown during the illness and death of our mother, Mrs. Susan M. Barber, and also for the flowers. Mrs. Mary McCreary, Mrs. Laura Long, Mrs. S. J. Coultats, W. L. Barber, James E. Barber.

**WHITE REGULATION NURSES DRESSES, ALL SIZES, ONLY \$3.00, AT HERMAN'S.**

#### SMOKE STACK COMPLETED AT PACKING PLANT

Work on the construction of the big smoke stack at the plant of the Jacksonville Packing Co., has just been completed. This brick stack is 80 feet high and is a material addition to the heating and power facilities of the plant. In the past steel stacks have been used but they are so subject to weather deterioration that brick construction was decided upon.

#### STREET ASSESSMENT NOTICE

ALL street assessments due January 2nd, 1918, and not paid by April 1st, 1918, will be turned over to Sheriff for collection. Charles B. Graff, City treasurer and Collector.

# The Essentials of a Good Car The Auburn

The buying of an automobile has ceased to be an adventure and has become a business proposition. This means simply that the purchaser of a motor car has a right to know not only exactly what kind of a car he is buying but what kind of a company is back of the car for which he pays his money.

In fact, it is more important to know all about the company that all about the car, for if the company is not right, the car can not be right, no matter how much it may appear to be so.

On the other hand, when you find a motor car company whose history goes back almost to the beginning of the industry, and when you find that the same men have always controlled it and that it has never passed through reorganization and refinancing, you are safe in assuming that the company's policies have been sound, its business methods straightforward, and its product dependable.

This, in brief, is the history of the Auburn Automobile company of Auburn, Indiana. It was founded seventeen years ago by men who still operate and control the factory.

The Auburn Company is one of the oldest motor car manufacturers in the country. From the very first it has pursued a consistent policy of making and selling a good car at a reasonable price and has looked to steady growth and increasing reputation for its profits.

Year after year there has always been a demand for more Auburn cars than were produced, yet this demand has never been artificially stimulated by extravagant claims of wide-spread publicity. It has been brought about mainly by word-to-mouth advertising by satisfied owners, and by the repeated sales to people who have been so thoroughly pleased with the Auburn car that they would not change to any other make.

Today the Auburn Automobile Company is one of the strongest companies financially. This strength has enabled the company to buy materials to advantage, thereby keeping down the price of Auburn cars while at the same time obtaining the best parts and equipment to be had in the market.

The strength and stability of the Auburn Company are important to the car buyer because they are an assurance of permanence. When you buy an Auburn Car you know to a certainty that you will always be able to get parts or service and that the used value of your car will be high.

The makers of the Auburn Six welcome the closest investigation of their record and standing, and insist that intending purchasers of any car are justified in asking for such information.

But, no matter how well designed a car may be, its serviceability must rest on the care with which it is built. If you will investigate the construction of cars costing thousands of dollars you will find that they are expensive because they are built slowly and carefully. The high price of these cars pays mainly for workmanship in assembling and finishing and testing.

In the Auburn factory, time enough is taken to do things exactly right. Engines are thoroughly "worn in" by test-driving them after the chassis is assembled. All painting is by hand instead of the faster and cheaper spraying or dipping process.

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This week will be special days in our Suit, Coat and Dress Sections when hundreds of entirely new garments will be shown—styles that proclaim the last word in Women's Spring Apparel.



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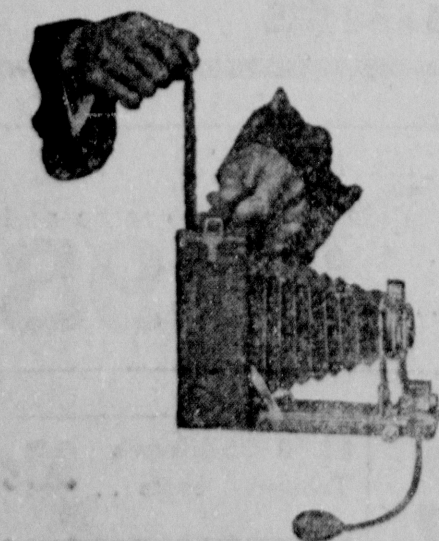
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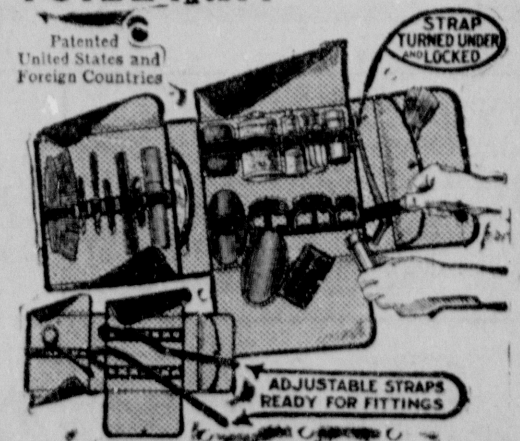
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